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FRIGHTFUL WRECK ON BIG FOUR; 25 KILLED AND 40 ARE WOUNDED.

Of the Latter First Reports Say 25 Will Die of Their Injuries, Some Roasted to Death.

PASSENGER HIT FREIGHT TRAIN.

Fire Immediately Set In After the Collision and Scenes at the Wreck Were Horrible in the Extreme—Passenger Train is Entirely Consumed.

Publishers' Press Telegram.

FOWLER, Ind., Jan. 19.—A disastrous wreck occurred near here on the Big Four at 2.30 o'clock this morning. It is reported that 25 persons are dead and 40 injured, 25 of the latter being expected to die. The entire passenger train was burned and several freight cars. The wrecked train was the Queen City Special, which carries a sleeper and day coach from Chicago to Cincinnati and a sleeper to Indianapolis. The passenger train, which is No. 33, left Chicago at 11.30 last night. A short distance from this station, while going at a high rate of speed, it collided with a freight train.

Nearly every person aboard the flyer was sleeping and many of these were killed outright. Others suffered the horrors of slow cremation. Aid was quickly at hand and some of the injured were saved before the flames got them. The cause of the wreck is yet unknown, but is thought to have been due to a misunderstanding of signals. The passenger train and several freight cars were entirely consumed by the flames.

General Superintendent Houghton of the Big Four at Indianapolis, has given out the following statement:

"The wreck near Fowler was due to a dense fog. Our list shows 15 known to have been cremated and eight killed outright, their bodies being removed from the wreck before the fire reached them. Owing to the rapid spreading of fire, which was fanned by a strong wind, the exact number of dead may never be known. The remains of 15 badly charred bodies have been taken out."

The most terrifying and horrible scenes were enacted at the wreck. Passengers who were sleeping in their berths were crushed and pinned down in the wreck before they had time to get rightly awakened. Their piteous pleas to be killed as the flames approached them rended the stoutest hearts. The train crew, those of them not injured or killed, and passengers who were not hurt, were not able to get half of the persons caught in the wreckage out before the fire reached them and slowly cremated them.

STUCK IN MUD HOLE.

Citizen Kicks About the Condition of Tenth Street and Nuisance Existing There.

A citizen who has interests along Tenth street sends the following communication to The Courier: "On Tenth street this morning three school children got stuck in a mud hole in front of property owned by the President of Town Council. A waste pipe runs out on the street and pavement there. Why is it that he is allowed privileges when we other property owners and citizens have to tap the sewers for disposal of our waste water? If aid had not come to those children this morning dear only knows what would have happened them or where they would have landed. Tenth street is in a terrible condition. Why doesn't the reform Council fix up such places?"

The citizens living along Francis avenue are still howling about the condition of that street and will try to force action by Council at the next meeting.

BOARD RESIGNS.

Rockwood Health Men Could Not Stand Unfavorable Comment by Citizens and Quit.

The Health Board of Rockwood, which was appointed only a few months ago, has resigned in a body. Their reason for resigning is the fact that they were subjected to some unfavorable criticism by citizens who did not think the borough was kept in the best sanitary condition. The Board, however, has been working under a handicap, as all small boroughs do in this respect.

Diphtheria is very bad at Rockwood, a number of malignant cases having developed there recently.

Masquerade at Liederkranz.

A masquerade ball will be given at Liederkranz hall this evening.

SAVED THE MAIL

But Conductor C. A. Bentley Had Narrow Escape from Drowning.

Charles Bentley, member of the Legislature from Washington county, and a conductor on the Monongahela & Washington railroad, was almost drowned Friday on swimming Pigeon creek, with two mail sacks. His crew was taking the mail to Monongahela in a handcar when it jumped the track into the swollen creek.

Bentley held on to the mail, but he had a narrow escape.

PIPE DREAM.

Story of West Penn's Proposed Expenditure of $5,000,000 in Improvements.

What is pronounced by officials of the West Penn Railways Company as the most colossal pipe dream of the year appeared this morning in a Uniontown paper. According to this report, the West Penn Company is about to expend something like $5,000,000 in double tracking its present main line between Greensburg and Uniontown and that the line will be extended through to Pittsburg. Eventually, the article says, another line will be built down the Monongahela river to the Smoky City.

The story was officially denied this morning by General Manager W. E. Moore, Superintendent of Transportation J. W. Brown, Chief Engineer J. L. Fritsch and Right of Way Agent F. P. Marr. These officials state that the present plans of the company, which contemplate the construction of a line to Brownsville, will keep them busy enough during the coming year without thinking of double tracks or Pittsburg extensions.

The writer of the article in the Uniontown paper has evidently been asleep for several months and is unfamiliar with present conditions on the road. Cars no longer run to Hunker, en route to Greensburg, and never did use the Greensburg & Southern tracks from Hunker to the Westmoreland county seat. Up until last fall the P. McK. & G. tracks were used between Hunker and Greensburg, but the West Penn now has its own line through by way of Mt. Pleasant and Hecla.

HE'S A JOKE.

Weather Man Has Wires Crossed and Predicts Rain From Force of Habit Way Off This Time.

Rain tonight and Sunday; cooler Sunday.

That's the lemon the weather man hands out in his noon bulletin today. It reads something like the one he sent out yesterday; and the day before; and the day before that. It reads like a joke. Rain tonight! And the sun shining as brightly as though it had been with us, like the poor, always.

Such a beautiful change it was this morning. Instead of a dreary rain, such as fell for days and weeks in succession, Old Sol beamed down on the joyful populace once more. A gentleman named Boreas, supposed, in mythology, to govern the wind, is getting in some good licks, but Old Sol evidently wants to shine for a while yet.

This is regular spring weather. Even the trees are being fooled, and buds are beginning to show. Roses will be blooming in a week or so if the weather keeps this way a few days longer.

The Yough river is still raging. After subsiding from the freshet of a few days ago, the stream took another throw at the flood stage and is now as high as at any time during the present freshet. This condition is attributed to melting snow in the mountains. From 10 o'clock this morning until two this afternoon the river rose more than a foot, but it is believed that the crest will be reached this afternoon.

The upper Monongahela is still high, as is the Ohoat. Much trouble is being experienced along the Baltimore & Ohio on both the Pittsburg Division and the Fairmont branch of the Connellsville Division At Dexter, between here and Pittsburg, a big slide kept the westbound track blocked the better part of yesterday and last night. The big slide at Point Marion was cleared away sufficient to let trains through late last evening. All the debris has not been disposed of yet.

The temperature today reached nearly 70 degrees.

FAMINE IN MEAT.

High Water and Slides Have Caused Delay in Shipment from West.

There is a small sized meat famine in Fayette county. The high water and delays occasioned by washouts and slides is responsible. The larger portion of the meat used in the towns of this county is shipped here from Chicago. Connellsville depends to a large extent on Uniontown for its supply. A storage house of Armour & Company is located there from which point distribution is made.

The hotels have noted the scarcity of meats more than the domestic consumers. They have been unable to get the kind of cuts they buy and in the same quantities they demand.

MAGIC FAILED.

Raymond, Handcuff King, Almost Suffocated in Box He Was Nailed in at Rochester, Pa.

ROCHESTER, Pa., Jan. 19.—"This will be the last box I will ever get out of in Rochester," declared "Raymond, the Handcuff King," at the theatre here last night before he entered a strong box which had to be broken open by stage attendants almost an hour later, when Raymond's apparently dead body was carried from the stage.

Raymond appeared here six weeks ago and drew such crowds by his magic and bursting of handcuffs and boxes that he duplicated his performance this week. At the magician's request last night six well-known citizens mounted the stage and constructed a box from planks two inches thick, using heavy spikes. Raymond was then manacled and tied with heavy ropes as in previous exhibitions and placed in the box which was nailed up.

"Don't be stingy with the nails," shouted Raymond from the inclosure.

His advice was taken. For 30 minutes there was absolute silence in the auditorium. Then the nervous strain of the audience increased until finally there were exclamations of terror. It was evident that Raymond had at last been beaten and the box was torn open. The "Handcuff King," with rope and manacles intact, was found unconscious.

Women fainted or shrieked. Raymond's wife, who had been standing in the wings, fell in a swoon. The magician was taken to the hospital, where he later revived. Had he been left in the box five minutes longer, it is said, he would have smothered to death.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.

By Pythian Sisterhood at Uniontown On Friday Evening.

The Pythia Sisterhood of Uniontown held their installation of officers in their lodge room in the Rutter building last night.

The following officers were installed and a very nice lunch of sandwiches, cake, coffee, etc., was served: Past Chancellor, Mrs. A. J. Hunt; Chancellor Commander; Mrs. J. T. Sembower; Vice Chancellor Commander, Mrs. Hollie Wilson; Prelate, Mrs. John Litman; Mistress of Exchequer, Mrs. Moyer; Mistress of Finance, Mrs. John Baer; Keeper of Records and Seals, Mrs. J. H. Bird; Mistress at Arms, Mrs. Cook; Assistant Mistress at Arms, Mrs. Gribble; Mystic One Mrs. Cooley; Inner Guard, Mrs. McCormick; Outer Guard, Mrs. Walter Littlewood; Organist, Miss Haddle Inks.

The following out of town visitors assisted in the ceremony: District Deputy Grand Chancellor Mrs. Robert Sullivan of Mt. Pleasant, Mrs. William Naughton, Past Chancellor of Pythian Star Assembly, and Mrs. S. P. Hillebrand, Past Supreme Representative, of Connellsville.

Invitations for Ball.

Invitations are out for the annual military ball of the cadets of the West Virginia University at Morgantown, Friday evening, February 1. Connellsville and Uniontown are usually represented at these events.

ARMORY FUND.

Captain Simpson Has Secured About $7,000 in Donations to Help Out the State.

About $7,000 has been subscribed so far towards the armory fund and Capt. J. H. Simpson is still at work in an endeavor to secure more donations. It will be necessary to get about $3,500 more in order to purchase a site and have sufficient above the appropriation for the erection of the building. At the last regular session of the Legislature, $20,000 was appropriated for the Connellsville building, but it will cost more than that to have it erected.

The last subscription received was one for $250 from A. L. Koister of Scottdale. More contributions are expected.

The Sunday Courier.

24 PAGES.

The Sunday Courier tomorrow will consist of twenty-four pages. The news sections will contain all the telegraphic news of the night, covering the world's events as thoroughly as any other Sunday paper coming into Fayette county.

The local field, embracing all of Fayette county, especially the Connellsville coke regions, and portions of Somerset and Westmoreland, wherein we have our special correspondents and special wire service, will also be fully covered. The Sunday Courier is essentially the coke region's local Sunday paper. If you want the home news as well as the world's news, get The Sunday Courier. Tomorrow's issue will contain some special local stories of absorbing interest. Uniontown's social events will also be covered by a competent society editor.

Among other features will be illustrated stories on the passing of Indian Territory and the growth of the new State of Oklahoma; George Bernard Shaw, the London wit and litterateur; the centenary of Robert E. Lee; Fashions, Household and Women's matter; a delightful story page for the children; and last but not least a four-page high-class colored comic section.

The Sunday Courier can be had from newsboys at 5c per copy. The Daily and Sunday Courier will be delivered through our agents anywhere at the rate of 10c per week.

FOUND THE BOOZE AND GOT DRUNK.

Lad Not Yet Sixteen Years Old Found Paralyzed at Sligo.

TOMORROW IS HIS BIRTHDAY.

West Virginia Man Picked Up as a Suspicious Character—Other Cases Disposed of This Morning by Burgess Soisson.

A sad example of moral depravity presented itself in police court this morning when Emery Grove, a lad not yet 16 years old, was called to answer a charge of drunkenness. Superintendent Joseph McConnell of Sligo notified Constable Charles Wilson that the boy was lying at the mill, dead drunk. Wilson hired a buggy and went for him. Grove was as limp as a rag.

This morning the lad told Burgess Soisson that he found half a pint of booze in a lumber yard and drank all of it. He admitted taking drinks before but said this was the first time he was ever drunk. Burgess Soisson administered a severe lecture and gave the lad the same fine as older people, $3.50 or 48 hours in the coop. The boy lives with his widowed mother on Baldwin avenue.

Tomorrow will be the lad's 16th birthday. He works at Sligo and does not go to school. When questioned as to whether or not he was given the booze, the boy stuck to the story of finding it in the lumber yard. He said when he went to sleep some one took the bottle and swiped a sack of tobacco from him.

Robert Harvey, a Bluefield, W. Va., colored man, was arrested as a suspicious character at the B. & O. depot here but was discharged after giving a good account of himself.

Martin Bike, who has been in this country but a year and whose English is not very good, paid a fine of $5.00 for being drunk and disorderly at the B. & O. depot. After paying his fine Martin, in broken English, announced his intention of riding the water wagon for a while.

John Cochran and Robert Sanders, the latter colored, took 48 hours for being drunk.

Gloom Depressed Sunshine.

Abram Sunshine, who owned a shoe shop near the Monongahela river at McKeesport, hung himself last night when the water came into his little shop. When found his body was hanging from the ceiling of the room and his toes just touching the water.

CAPITOL INVESTIGATION

Conference With Governor Stuart Over It Next Tuesday.

President pro tem of the Senate, Cyrus E. Woods, returned to Greensburg last evening. Senator Woods and Speaker McClain, Chairman of the House of Representatives Biedleman and Representative Fisher, Chairman of the Judiciary General Comittee will meet with Governor Stuart next Tuesday and the plans for the investigation of the alleged Capitol scandal will be discussed. There have been half a dozen different measures looking to this end, but all vary as to the means to be employed.

ED. EMERY GOES UP.

Appointed Ticket Agent for the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad at Allegheny—Started at Connellsville.

Edward Emery, for several years ticket clerk in the Pittsburg station of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, has been promoted to ticket agent for the company in Allegheny. This is a big jump in the service and one that indicates the esteem and confidence placed in the passenger department. Edward Emery started in with the B. & O. not so long ago in the Connellsville ticket office under Agent H. L. Douglas. He was apt and it was not a great while until he was promoted to the Pittsburg office. He is a son of the late James Emery, a veteran B. & O. engineer and official on the road for many years, and makes frequent trips to Connellsville to visit his mother, Mrs. Isabel Emery, who lives on Green street. Many friends here and all along the Pittsburg Division are offering congratulations today on his promotion.

Several other changes in the passenger department about Pittsburg were also announced yesterday. W. A. Preston, who has been City Ticket Agent in Pittsburg since April, 1905, has been promoted to Travelling Passenger Agent at Chicago to succeed C. G. Lemmon, who resigned. W. Scott Miller, who has been Chief Clerk in Mr. Taggart's office, has been promoted to City Ticket Agent, to succeed Mr. Preston. W. H. Foust, ticket agent in Allegheny, has been promoted to Chief Clerk. W. S. Plummer succeeds to first place at the Water street office under Ticket Agent Hutchison, and other promotions will follow.

LINEN SHOWER

Was Given Miss Ida Haines on Friday Evening.

About twenty-five guests were present at a linen shower given Miss Ida Haines Friday evening at the home of her sister, Mrs. Emma Buckingham, on West Apple street. The affair was arranged by Mrs. Buckingham and daughter, Miss Ethel.

One of the most enjoyable features of the evening was a guessing contest for which two prizes were awarded. The head prize was won by Monroe Hopwood, while Miss Anna Harper of Dunbar won the booby prize. About 11 o'clock a prettily appointed luncheon was served by the hostess. Miss Haines will go to Pittsburg Monday, where she will make her home with Scott Haines. The out of town guests present were Misses Lucy and Harriet Mite of Scottdale and Miss Anna Harper of Dunbar.

BACK HOME AGAIN.

Local Parties In New York Saw Lots of Snow There.

Rockwell Marietta, Clair Stillwagon and L. F. Ruth returned Friday afternoon on the Duquesne Limited from New York where they had been several days on a business trip. Owing to the heavy snow in New York, the train was over two hours getting away and it lost time throughout the run. Sleighing is fine in the metropolis the Connellsville visitors say.

Messrs. Marietta and Stillwagon took in the automobile show and Hippodrome, pronouncing both of them great. There are more than 1,000 different makes of automobiles represented at the show.

EIGHT HOUR LAW

Debated by Members of the Fricksonian Literary Society at Leisenring Yesterday.

The Fricksonian Literary Society of the Dunbar township High School held an interesting meeting Friday afternoon in the High School building at Leisenring No. 1. The program was an unusually interesting one, each number being well rendered.

"Resolved, That a law should be enacted whereby no man or body of men exact more than eight hours a day from an employe, and that no man could receive pay for more than eight hours' work a day." The judges decided the question in favor of the affirmative. The periodical was read by Miss Donna Walters.

KINGSTON IS NOW IN TERROR OF BEING SUBMERGED IN SEA.

Already 700 Bodies Have Been Buried and a Total of 1,017 Have Been Recovered.

PRESENTED WITH WATCH.

Chief Engineer J. L. Lawrence Receives Handsome Gift.

Chief Engineer J. L. Lawrence of the West Penn Railways Company was presented with a handsome gold Waltham watch Thursday evening at the power house near Fayette station. The watch was the gift of the operating force of the power station.

Engineer L. G. Purtee made the presentation speech and a neat response came from Mr. Lawrence.

BOYS ROOM

For Reading New Plan to Entertain at Y. M. C. A.—Those in Charge of Boys' Work.

A reading room for boys is a new wrinkle at the Young Men's Christian Association. This room is intended for boys under 15 years of age. It has been supplied with literature interesting to boys and is free to all boys whether members or not. The Committee on Boys' Work consists of E. W. Horner, W. S. Deffenbaugh, Rev. C. M. Watson, H. L. Silcox and R. Baldzley. This committee wishes to announce to all parents that boys under 15 years of age are required to leave the building not later than eight o'clock in the evening. Boys of this age should be at home after that hour. Parents will please note this and know that their boys are not at the building after this hour.

The bible study classes began last Sunday with an actual attendance of 65 men and about 50 juniors in the class on Saturday. The classes are led by competent leaders. Prof. Deffenbaugh leads a class in "The Social Teachings of Jesus" that should attract men who have a liking for social problems, Prof. Bell leads the class in inductive studies, D. P. Brown in Miracles of Jesus, D. K. Artman in Main Lines and B. J. Thomas and E. W. Horner have classes on Life Problems for young men in which more than 30 have already entered. These classes will meet for their second lesson Sunday at 4.30 P. M.

More than 60 Sunday school teachers have already pledged attendance at a weekly teachers' meeting which will be conducted in the building by the General Secretary beginning next week. A special meeting will be held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock to which all Sunday school officers and teachers are expected to come. It is the men's meeting hour, but every man is expected to bring a lady friend with him. These mixed meetings will be held occasionally. The Secretary will repeat that part of the "In His Steps" lecture given last Sunday and finish the story. None under 15 years admitted. All others of both sexes welcome.

THAWS REUNITED.

Harry Thaw and Sister Countess of Yarmouth Meet Today In Gloomy Tombs Prison.

Publishers' Press Telegram.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—Harry Thaw and his sister, the Countess of Yarmouth, were reunited today in the gloomy corridor of the Tombs prison where the young millionaire awaits trial for the murder of Architect Stanford White.

Family differences were rolled aside and forgotten in a fond embrace and kiss of brother and sister. In the presence of Mrs. William Thaw, mother, and Mrs. Elevyn Nesbit Thaw, wife of the prisoner. The Thaw family remained some time.

EDNA E. TURNER

Young Daughter of Broad Ford Couple Dies.

Edna Elizabeth Turner, five years old, died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Turner at Broad Ford, Friday morning. Death was due to tuberculous menningitis.

Funeral services will be held this afternoon at two o'clock, interment in Hill Grove Cemetery.

Program Announced.

That program for the High School Institute to be held next week in Carnegie Free Library hall, was announced today by Principal W. S. Deffenbaugh.

After the Water Company.

The Town Council of Charleroi has given the water company there 90 days in which to increase its plant.

FAMINE OF WATER AND FOOD.

Blacks and Whites Alike Drink Out of Stagnant Pools and All Work of Rescue for the Present Has Been Abandoned—Conditions Terrible.

Publishers' Press Telegram.

LONDON, Jan. 19.—Seven hundred bodies have been buried and 1,017 other victims recovered from the ruins. These either have been or are awaiting identification and large numbers of persons are still reported missing, according to official report just received from Kingston by the Evening News.

Figures were compiled by those in charge of work of removing dead bodies from the ruins. The message was dated Friday.

HOLLAND BAY, Jan. 19.—[Special.—Kingston is suffering from a fearful food and water famine. Many people are dying of neglect. Two cargoes of supplies have been received but were quickly exhausted. Earthquake shocks have resumed and people are in terror of another great disaster. Great fissures have opened up everywhere from which oozes black mud. The sea is black with mud, and for many miles surrounding the city are evidences that the earthquake is just being broken by subterranean forces.

Suffering from water famine is becoming terrible with no hope of remedying. Whites and blacks alike are forced to drink from stagnant pools. The breaking forth of black mud rivers which threaten to engulf everything is striking consternation into the hearts of the survivors. The work of clearing away debris and searching for bodies is almost bandoned. The city is in dread of sudden immersion in the sea.

BROKER ARRESTED.

Henry Cohen Financed the Meyeradale Street Railway.

Henry Cohen, a New York broker, was arrested in Pittsburg Friday night, charged with stealing valuable papers and embezzlement as trustee. The prosecutor is H. G. Kimmich, Cohen's Pittsburg representative.

The dispute is over the Meyersdale Street Railway Company. Cohen was treasurer, but was ousted by Kimmich, who, it is alleged, voted stock of an obsolete issue. Cohen is said to have embezzled $600 of the company's money. Kimmich was previously arrested upon information of Cohen, charged with appropriating bonds valued at $750,000.

JUST GATHERED IN.

School Friends Surprised Miss Sara Sandles, South Connellsville.

About 25 persons assembled at the home of Miss Sara Sandles on Hyndman street, South Connellsville, Thursday, and spent a most enjoyable evening. The affair was a complete surprise to Miss Sandles, being arranged by several of her school friends.

The amusements of the evening were various parlor games, at the close of which refreshments were served.

Accused Trainmen Released.

Flagman McGregor of the West Penn railroad has been released by the Butler county authorities. He was held in connection with a wreck at Creighton, in which two persons were killed.

DIETSCH WILL.

South Connellsville Man Leaves Bank Deposit of $900 to His Son George Dietsch

UNIONTOWN, Jan. 19.—The will of Henry Dietsch, late of South Connellsville, has been admitted to probate. To his son, George F. Dietsch, is given $900 on deposit in the First National Bank of Connellsville and the household goods, and a half interest in a lot in Springhill Cemetery, Allegheny. This is in return for having kept deceased in his declining years. To the grandchildren, Clara, Edward and Cora Stout, is left a $500 note due from his son-in-law, George Stout. The document is dated July 29, 1904, and witnessed by Robert Welsh and James W. Mitchell.

The will of the late Mrs. M. A. T. Scott of Uniontown, has also been admitted to probate. Everything is left her husband, Wilfred Scott, in trust for her sisters, Sadie Thompson and Eva Stewart, and Mr. Scott's children, Lottie and Howard Scott.

SITUATION IMPROVES.

Relief Pouring Into Kingston and Order Is Being Restored.

CORPSES BURNED OR BURIED

Reports Indicate That Few, If Any, Americans Perished in Earthquake.

Estimate of 1,000 Dead Seems to Be Authentically Confirmed.

The situation at Kingston seems to be improving. Order has been reestablished and the work of burying the dead and caring for the injured is progressing on an organized basis.

The work of sending in relief to the stricken city is proceeding with energy. Kingston is receiving supplies as far as possible from the island of Jamaica itself. The American warships in the harbor have put on shore all the foodstuffs and medical supplies they could spare, and the Jamaican authorities have taken charge of the distribution of all provisions in the city.

In addition relief is being hurried in from outside quarters. The senate has passed a bill authorizing relief for the stricken island; the people of the British island of Trinidad have sent a first instalment of relief; H. M. S. Indefatigable has left Port of Spain, Trinidad, with provisions, clothing and other supplies; the French government has started a cruiser from the island of Martinique with supplies for Kingston; the Mansion House fund in London is growing rapidly and the British authorities are perfecting the details of relief on a large scale, and in addition various other steamers are either on their way or are about to start for Kingston with food, clothing and medicines on board.

Report of Tidal Wave Unconfirmed.

The report that a tidal wave had devastated the southern shore of Jamaica had not been confirmed up to a late hour. Cable communication with the island has been partly restored, but even so, messages from Jamaica are coming through very slowly.

The total estimate of dead remains at about 1,000.

Great relief was afforded to all who have American friends in Jamaica by a statement received from the office of the cable company at Kingston that up to 7 o'clock Thursday evening no Americans had been reported killed or severely wounded by the earthquake.

The list of known victims is growing and the names of no less than 40 persons of more or less prominence in the Jamaican capital already have been given out as dead. About 20 well known persons are either injured or missing.

The reports make no further mention of further earth shocks and the fires have all been put out.

Santiago, Cuba, Jan. 19.—The steamer Tomas Brookes has arrived here from Kingston with 17 refugees. They paint a horrible picture of the catastrophe and confirm the reports of the destruction of the principal buildings. The pilots do not dare to enter the harbor owing to the changes in the channel.

120 Perish in One Factory.

The Machado cigar factory, in which many Cubans were at work, crumbled and 120 of them were killed.

Relief supplies are greatly needed at Kingston.

The refugees confirm previous reports of the Kingston disaster. According to them 25 square blocks of the city have been destroyed by fire. Every building within a radius of 10 miles was injured. The water works were destroyed. The list of dead at the Myrtle bank hotel was heavy. The Constant Spring and other hotels were damaged. The electric power house was destroyed and many persons lost their lives by coming into contract with charged wires. The manager of the cable office lost a leg. The postoffice was not thrown down. Along the water front the cracks in the earth are six inches wide.

Dr. Biegle, physician of the Arno, is here. The Arno as well as other steamers in the port, was used as a hospital. Sixty-four legs and 15 arms were amputated on board. Three persons died on the Arno. The governor's residence also is being used as a hospital. Capt. Constantine, superintendent in Jamaica for the Royal Mail Steamship Co., was buried at sea. Capt. Young was buried on shore.

There is great shortage of bandage material and women's clothing is being torn up and used for this purpose. The rails of the street car lines are badly twisted. When the earthquake occurred there were only four doctors on the island.

Boy Patriot Kills Oppressor.

Smolensk, Russia, Jan. 19.—The chief of the rural administration, M. Krollau, was killed by a school boy named Borlokoff, as the chief was leaving a concert hall. The boy, who fired five shots from a revolver at his victim, was immediately shot and killed by an officer.

John R. Walsh Indicted.

Chicago, Jan. 19.—John R. Walsh, former president of the Chicago National bank, has been indicted by the federal grand jury for misapplication of funds entrusted to his care.

Attell Wins Over Baker.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 19.—Abe Attell won last night from Harry Baker in the eighth round of the featherweight championship contest. Baker's second threw up the sponge.

TRI-STATE NEWS.

Events of the Day in Brief from Pennsylvania, Ohio and W. Va.

Washington, Pa., Jan. 19.—Mrs. Jacob Blakey, age 35, and her 2-year-old son, were drowned while attempting to ford East Pike run. Mr. Blakey and 10-year-old son narrowly escaped a similar fate.

Monongahela, Pa., Jan. 19.—T. J. Russell of Courtney, has written the authorities offering $10 reward for the return of his son, W. E. Russell, who he claims was enticed away from home by a tramp.

Washington, Pa., Jan. 19.—Alphaeus Crawford of Bentleyville, and Mrs. Mary A. Dague of Scenery Hill, age 66 and 52, respectively, were wedded in the clerk's office at the court house by the Rev. E. S. White.

Beaver Falls, Pa., Jan. 19.—Anthony Neill, age 35, was shot and died a short time later at the police station here. The police are looking for an Italian, his alleged assailant. The shooting followed a dispute.

Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 19.—A charter has been issued to the Philipsburg Railroad Co. to build 18 miles of line in Clearfield county between Chester Hill and Jaynesville; capital $250,000. David L. Krebs is president.

Philadelphia, Jan. 19.—William F. Thompson, president of the Standard Glass Co., of Pottsville, Pa., with offices in New York, was arrested here charged with having obtained money by false pretense on stock subscriptions.

Latrobe, Pa., Jan. 19.—The franchise of the local baseball club has been sold by the former owner, Frank P. Rinn, to W. E. Morrow, a former resident of Latrobe, who has been actively interested in the California league.

Toledo, O., Jan. 19.—The flood at Pittsburg and Cincinnati is proving detrimental to the Toledo machinists out on strike here. Nonunion men are arriving every day from the flooded districts to take the places of the strikers.

Pittsburg, Jan. 19.—Secretary Shaw announces that he adheres to his original selection of the Fifteenth street site for the new postoffice in Pittsburg, thus incurring the ill will of real estate speculators interested in property on the "hump."

Butler, Pa., Jan. 19.—William B. Smith, age 27, of Pittsburg, was killed on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad at North Oakland. Smith was employed as a brakeman, and while crawling over the ice-covered cars, slipped and fell beneath the wheels.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 19.—A meeting of the board of directors of the Philadelphia & Erie Railroad Co. was held and it was decided to turn full control of the company over to the Pennsylvania railroad in exchange for stock in the latter corporation.

Tunkhannock, Pa., Jan. 19.—A young and pretty girl, who gave her name as Jessie Lee, and her home Jermyn, Pa., and who came here about three weeks ago to work at the home of George W. Gray, committed suicide by drinking carbolic acid. Letters found among her effects show her to have been the wife of Wilmot Leroy. She left full directions as to her funeral.

Findlay, O., Jan. 19.—County Clerk W. P. Alspaugh has turned over to Sheriff Groves, by order of Prosecuting Attorney David, the indictments found against the Standard Oil Co., John D. Rockefeller and others. There is a total of 939 indictments. An attempt will be made to have the defendants accept service without compelling Sheriff Groves to serve them personally.

Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 19.—Gov. Stuart has appointed the following to be members of the Soldiers Orphans' school commission on the recommendation of the commander of the department of Pennsylvania of the Grand Army: J. P. S. Gobin, Lebanon; Levi G. McCauley, West Chester; James F. Morrison, Philadelphia; Thaddeus M. Mahon, Chambersburg; A. P. Burchfield, Pittsburg.

Reading, Pa., Jan. 19.—The men employed in all the departments of the Reading Railway Co.'s car shops here except passenger car and upholstering, have been put on 13 hours a day. The company posted a notice directing that the Palo Alto car shop employes be put on 13 hours a day. The order will likewise affect the St. Clair, Schuylkill Haven and Pottsville repair shops. Nearly 1,000 men are affected.

Ravenna, O., Jan. 19.—At the annual meeting of the city board of health W. A. Lyon, a prominent druggist, was elected secretary. He refused to accept the office, however, unless he was allowed to serve without pay. He stated that it was his opinion that every citizen owed some specific service to the public welfare, and for that reason made a present to the community of the salary of $100 attaching to the office to which he had been appointed.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Jan. 19.—One of the entire sides of the residence of Col. L.B.Dellicker fell out, the accident being caused by the continued rains. Col. Dellicker, who is clerk of the United States district court, has been lying at the point of death for the the last few days and he was in one of the rooms on the side of the house which was affected. When the wall fell out, a portion of the floor gave way up to within a foot of his bed. He was rescued by neighbors.

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Edward VII.

Edward VII., King of England, Scotland and Ireland, Emperor of India, was born November 9, 1841. He was the eldest son of Queen Victoria and her consort, Prince Albert. He is the seventh of the sovereigns of the House of Hanover. He came to America in 1860 and visited the principal cities of the United States and was entertained at Washington by President Buchanan. He is known as Baron Renfrow. He was educated at Oxford University, England. He won the great English Derby in 1896 and again in 1900. He married Princess Alexandra of Denmark on February 4, 1863. His eldest son, heir to the throne, is Prince Albert Victor, born January 5, 1864. He visited Egypt in 1869. In 1875 he made a tour of his Empire of India. He ascended the throne January 22, 1901.

CALIFORNIA TRIP.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hugus and Daughter Miss Eleanor, Leave Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hugus and daughter Miss Eleanor Hugus will leave Monday for Pittsburg where they will be joined by Rev. and Mrs. McMurray and daughters. The party will leave from there on an extended trip through California. They will make their first stopping place Santa Anna, Cal.

At this place they will probably remain a month. The trip will probably extend over a period of three months, and possible longer, if the party is enjoying itself.

Wabash Men in Fayette.

J. Calvin Gwynne, right of way man for the Wabash railroad, is in Uniontown from Waynesburg; finishing up the right of way for the Wabash through this section. A corps of engineers who are working on the western end of the Uniontown & Wheeling Short Line are at Uniontown and will likely conclude their work in Fayette county today.

What Swearing Costs.

Jim Watton, who was arrested at Morgantown on Tuesday on the charge of cursing, was sent to jail 75 days in default of his fine and costs of prosecution.

Sued on Book Account.

John B. Skinner of Connellsville has sued W. D. Gilchrist of Ohiopyle to recover $138.64 with interest. This is the balance of a book account for plumbing and heating supplies. There is a dispute over the bill.

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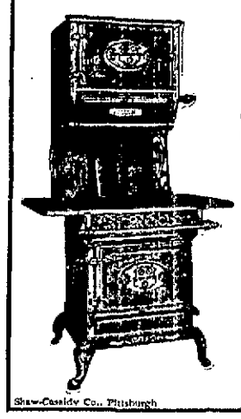
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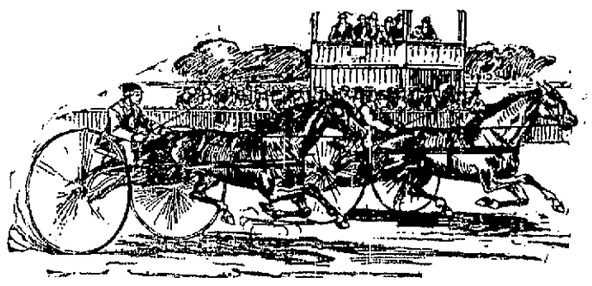
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FLOOD STILL RISES.

Gloomy Outlook Along Banks of Raging Rivers Grows More Gloomy.

HOMELESS NUMBER THOUSANDS

People Living on Lowlands Along the Monongahela and Ohio Rivers Are Greatest Sufferers—Continued Rainfall on Upper Watershed Alarming.

Cincinnati, Jan. 19.—With a second rise reported at the headwaters of the Ohio, while the whole valley was still in the grip of the greatest flood it has known for more than 20 years, the outlook is indeed gloomy. Every town along the river is suffering from crippled communications, limited fuel supply and a shortage of food, thousands of families have been rendered homeless and many thousand men are idle because of the shutting down of factories.

The damage likely to follow the necessary opening of the flood gates at Portsmouth, O., caused almost a panic there, adding to the suffering resulting from the cutting off of the natural gas supply. A number of cities were in darkness last night because of broken gas mains or flooded light plants. Newport, Ky., suffered the cutting off of its gas supply and is threatened with a complete shutdown of the electric light plant that supplies the electric car system in that part of the Kentucky suburbs, while Covington is threatened with a like cutting off of gas supply. Service on railroads, traction and city electric lines was generally crippled along the full length of the river. In this city and suburbs several car lines were put entirely out of business. The flood has invaded the Front street pumping station of the Cincinnati water works, but the new water works will be put in service to protect the city from any shortage and suffering.

James Demmons, age 20, was killed by a train while moving household goods. It was the first death reported in this city due to flood conditions.

The rising river has gone far above the landing places along the river, and those towns that depend on the river solely have been cut off from their source of supplies. At Ironton more than 100 families were driven from their homes; at Portsmouth 100 refugees are in the schools and other vacant buildings.

At Newport, Ky., 300 families have had to be cared for. In this city the number has gone above 1,000 families and more are being driven from their homes hourly, while similar reports come in from nearly all towns along the river.

In Cincinnati the police are in charge of the relief work while the associated charities and the Salvation Army have been busy relieving the suffering and hungry.

In response to a request from the mayor of Manchester, O., Gov. Harris ordered out one company of the Seventh regiment, stationed at Manchester, to guard the property of flood sufferers. There is great confusion and attempts at looting in the town and the mayor, finding himself unable to cope with the situation, requested the governor to order out the troops.

Boat owners having put exorbitant prices on the use of their boats, refusing to move families in flooded sections of Cincinnati unless their terms were met, Mayor Dempsey instructed the chief of police to take forcibly possession of all boats needed for rescue and relief work.

SHAWNEETOWN IN DANGER

Flood Approaches Top of Levee and Disaster Is Feared.

Shawneetown, Ill., Jan. 19.—Shawneetown is a village of about 1,500 population. It is situated on the bend of the Ohio river near the Indiana and Kentucky state lines. The stage of water is now such that the village is threatened with a repetion of the great flood of 1898, which devastated the country for miles around and caused the loss of 29 lives. The water is steadily rising. Heavy rains continue. It will require six more feet of water before the top of the levee bank is reached, but at the rate the river is now rising a stage of 50 feet is expected. This would carry the water over the levee. The levee is a new one and the people of Shawneetown expect it to withstand the water at least until the top is overrun. News of conditions here was telegraphed to Gov. Deneen at Chicago. The governor directed that a supply of tents for the relief of the flood sufferers be sent.

Countess of Yarmouth in New York.

New York, Jan. 19.—The Countess of Yarmouth, sister of Harry K. Thaw, who shot Stanford White to death in the Madison Square roof garden theater last summer, arrived here on the steamer Kaiserin Auguste Victoria, from Europe. Her brother's trial on a charge of murder is scheduled to begin in the supreme court here next Monday.

Students Appeal for Aid.

Tokio, Jan. 19.—Twenty-one Korean students here are destitute, owing to cessation of aid from their homes. They have sent a petition to the government at Seoul enclosing a finger cut off from a hand of each student.

Mother and Child Poisoned.

Cumberland, Md., Jan. 19.—Mrs. Fannie Siville and her son, Sheridan, age 12, are in a serious condition here from having eaten candy supposed to have contained poison.

The News of Nearby Towns.

ROCKWOOD.

Bright Paragraphs From the Big Somerset County Borough.

ROCKWOOD, Jan. 19.—Mr. and Mrs. David Blaine Miller have returned from their honeymoon in Florida and are spending a few days at the home of the former's parents, Hon. and Mrs. E. D. Miller, on Main street.

Republican Committeeman B. F. Philippi has advertised for a caucus to be held Saturday evening at the municipal building, at which time names of our citizens for the offices of Burgess, Councilmen, School Directors, Auditors, etc., will be suggested.

Chauncey Fisher, of the firm of C H. Fisher & Son, of Somerset, was here on business yesterday.

John Douglass attended the inauguration of Governor Stuart at Harrisburg this week and also visited friends at his old home in the Capital City, returning yesterday. During his absence his brother-in-law, Garfield Scott, of Meyersdale, assisted in his shaving parlors.

Mrs. Austin Critchfield was suddenly called to Johnstown several days ago on account of the serious illness of a grandson, a young son of Mr. and Mrs H. J. Layman. The youngster has a severe attack of diphtheria, and Thursday night the last remedy was administered, which seemed to bring about the desired effect, as since that time the child has been slowly improving.

Miss Olive G. Tedrow, the popular young teacher at the Gebhart school, seems to have the misfortune to lose considerable time on account of accidents, illness, etc. After just having recovered from a sprained ankle which disabled her for several weeks, she is now stricken down with illness. Prof. E. C. Walker is teaching until her recovery.

Mrs. Joseph M. Weitel is spending the week at Johnstown as the guest of her friend, Miss Alice Walt.

Willis J. P. Wilt and family were visiting at the home of Mr. Wilt's brother here on Sunday, their home at Milford station caught fire in some unknown manner and burned to the ground. Every article of their household furnishings was destroyed. Mr. Wilt says he will not rebuild at Milford, but will locate in Rockwood.

Another case of diphtheria has developed in the person of Miss Agnes Philippi, daughter of Mr. and Mrs B. F. Philippi of West Main street.

W. W. Pyle has moved his family back to Milford, from where he came a year ago to take a position as car inspector in the B. & O yards here.

Charles Deffaven, the youthful operator on the B. & O., has been having some trouble for the past year with his eyes and yesterday made a visit to Connellsville and consulted Dr W. J. Bailey. The verdict was that the young man should wear glasses continually.

Mrs. Ida Leahy and daughter, Miss Violet Anderson of Pittsburg, who had been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McSpadden, returned to the city yesterday.

The diphtheria epidemic is becoming so alarming in town that the School Board is seriously considering the proposition of closing the schools until the disease has spent its force.

Church services will be held Sunday as follows:

Lutheran Church, Rev. C. H. Day, pastor. Sunday School, 9:30. Luther League, 6:30 P. M; preaching services, Rockwood Church 7:15 P. M.; Laurel Church, 10 A. M.

United Evangelical Church, Rev. S. M. Cousins, pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 A. M; prayer meeting, 2 P. M., Christian Endeavor 6 P. M., preaching services, 7:00 P. M.

Reformed Church, Rev. W. H. Landis, pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 A. M; Christian Endeavor, 6:30 P. M.; preaching services, Rockwood Church, 7:15 P. M.; New Centerville, 2:30 P. M.; St. Paul, 10:30 A. M.

United Brethren Church, Rev. G. A. Sparks, pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 A. M; prayer meeting, 6 P. M.; preaching services, Casselman, 7:30 P. M. this evening, Mt. Union, 10 A. M., Mt. Zion, 2:30 P. M., Milford, 7 P. M. Rev Sparks will begin a series of revival meetings at Milford tomorrow evening.

OHIOPYLE.

Notes From the Little Mountain Resort Up the Yough.

OHIOPYLE, Jan. 18.—Mrs. R. S. Marshall of Confluence, who has been spending the past few days at this place as the guest of relatives, returned home yesterday.

Miss Francis Morrison and son George were visiting Confluence friends and relatives yesterday.

Miss Sadie Stark was shopping in Connellsville yesterday.

Don't fail to get a Sunday Courier. Five cents a copy.

A delightful surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Nicholson Thursday evening in honor of the 21st birthday of their eldest son, Sherman. Those present were Misses Edith Hall, Ada Linderman, Estella Enoch, Ella, Anna and Mamie Brady, Margaret Whetmiller, Lucy Linderman, Lillie and Annie Nicholson, Orpha Schumaker, and John Hall, Sherman, William and Joseph Nicholson, Arthur Glotfelty and B. F. Crackoy. The evening was spent in playing many amusing games until a late hour. A delightful luncheon was served at 12:30, after which all the guests departed for their homes much pleased with the evening's entertainment. Mr Nicholson was the recipient of many nice presents.

Mrs Newman Boyd was a Connellsville shopper yesterday.

Alonzo Stark spent a few hours in town yesterday.

Leave your items in care of Post-office Box No 95.

Train No. 11 was delayed here yesterday for 30 minutes on account of a small mixup at Horton Junction.

Robert Thorpe was in town yesterday.

NEW HAVEN.

Local Matters from the Sister Borough Across the Youghiogheny.

Following is the list of unclaimed letters advertised at the postoffice: William Drew, Bernard Duffey, A. T. Foreman, William Hultz, Charles Jones, Henry Murray, J. R. Morris and Miss Sadie Marshall.

Commissioner M. E. Townsend was transacting business in town Friday.

Miss Elizabeth Sterling of Uniontown was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. R. S. McKee of Main street.

Mrs. David Lumon and daughter, Miss Katherine of Ninth street are the guests of relatives at Latrobe.

Miss Elizabeth Dawson is ill at her S. McKee of Main street on Thursday.

Norman Piersol of Flatwoods was in town Friday on business.

James Stephens of Perryopolis returned home Friday after a several days' visit with friends in town.

Miss Mayme Sneddon, clerk for Henry Rhodes, has resumed her duties after a several days' illness.

Mrs. C. L. Jones of Pittsburg was in town Friday on business.

Mrs. Abram Stoulter, who has been ill with the grip at her home on Third street, is convalescing.

DUNBAR.

Events of the Day in the Busy Furnace Town.

DUNBAR, Jan. 19.—The Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal Church held a social meeting in the parlor of the church last night. About 30 were present and a very enjoyable evening was spent. A prominent feature was the dainty lunch. The next meeting will be held at the home of Chester Kerr.

William Duffy of Duquesne was here yesterday attending the funeral of his father, Michael Duffy.

A fine baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Reed yesterday.

Miss Annie Harper attended a linen shower at Connellsville Friday night given by Miss Ethel Buckingham in honor of her friend, Miss Innes.

Charles Wynn of Baltimore was here yesterday on business.

Miss Maud Eicher was calling on friends in Connellsville yesterday.

Michael Kainey was in Uniontown yesterday on business.

Mrs. J. L. Keffer and little son Benjamin were shopping in Uniontown Friday.

Mrs. E Lowes of Pittsburg and Mrs. E. Lockhart of Philadelphia were visiting Crescent Temple, L. G. E., at this place, recently.

D. C. Wade and family have moved to Basic City, Va., where they will make their future home.

Miss Mayme McClenty was shopping in Connellsville yesterday.

Charles Wilson was in Uniontown for a short time Friday on business.

Miss Harriet Crossland of Connellsville was visiting friends here Thursday.

Thomas Barnes and sister, Miss Nettie, were shopping in Connellsville yesterday.

Miss Sue Cottom was the guest of relatives in Dawson Friday.

Anthony Gilmore, who is employed at McKeesport, spent yesterday with his family at this place.

James Cranston was a business caller in Connellsville yesterday.

Clarence Leckemby, employed as a machinist at the Connellsville Mine Supply Company's plant in New Haven, had the ill luck Friday to drop a 50 pound casting on his foot, smashing his great toe. He was brought home and is getting along as well as can be expected.

Harry McGibbons was calling on friends in Uniontown Thursday.

Miss Mabel Hilebee of Connellsville is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hampton.

Misses Carrie and Winnie McFarland of Vanderbilt were the guest of Mr. and Mrs Frank McFarland of the Hotel Central on Friday.

Bert Mumaw of Connellsville was calling on friends here Thursday.

Mrs. James Scott and Miss Lila Scott were shopping in Connellsville Friday.

James Donahoe was calling on friends here yesterday.

Mrs. Roy Wilson, who has been the guest of relatives in Frostburg, returned home yesterday.

Misses Maggie and Verda Combs, Bella Calhoun, Sadie and Julia Malone took in "Piff, Paff, Pouf" at the Colonial Theatre, Connellsville, last evening.

Born, to Mr and Mrs. James Bartlett, a big baby girl weighing 12 pounds, on Tuesday, January 15.

MASONTOWN.

Bright Personal Chat From the Capital of the Klondike.

MASONTOWN, Jan. 17.—Mrs Richard Diffendafer of Uniontown is the guest of Mrs. Elmira Conner and family.

Paul D. Howard, teller of the National Bank, was a business caller in Uniontown today.

Squire W. J. Sang ton was at Acme Junction today on legal business.

Thomas A. Hoover, Charles Walters and H. L. Darrah were among our business men at the County Seat yesterday.

Miss Bessie Deffenbaugh of Lockrone is a guest at the home of her uncle, J. M. Deffenbaugh, Main street.

Hon. Bruce F. Sterling left early in the week for Harrisburg to attend to his Legislative duties.

Mrs Fred Lucille has returned from a visit with Mrs. O. Williams of Willson avenue, Uniontown.

Miss Elizabeth Sterling, stenographer for her brother, Attorney Bruce F. Sterling of Uniontown, spent Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Sterling.

The pupils of Prof. Phillips will give a recital in the C. P. Church this evening and will be assisted by Prof. Phillips and several of his pupils from Uniontown.

The Sterling sand works, located close to the Monongahela river, has been closed down on account of the high waters.

PERRYOPOLIS.

Paragraphs From Famous Old Village Washington Laid Out.

PERRYOPOLIS, Jan. 18.—Peter Weimer of Connellsville was looking after business in town Tuesday.

T. C. Carson, a merchant of Layton, was a business visitor in town on Tuesday.

Miss Haggerty and P. R. Luce were business visitors in town Tuesday.

Leroy and W. B. Martin attended the funeral of their uncle, Nathan Brightwell, of Fayette City, yesterday.

John Buttermore, Abraham Layton and Alphonse Weisnet were transacting business in Uniontown yesterday.

Anthony Fuge of Curfew was a business visitor in town on Friday.

The School Board of Perry township held a meeting in town this afternoon, also the Road Supervisors of the township.

Owensdale.

OWENSDALE, Jan. 18.—Allen Shallenberger has moved into his new store.

Mrs. Earl Ridenour and Mrs. Harry B. Robbins and son Emerson are visiting friends in Fairchance this week.

Walter Robbins was a recent business caller in Scottdale.

Business is getting brisk at Kelster's company store. H. R. Robbins and William Munn are new clerks.

SAGER SMELLS MOUSE

Thinks Railroading of Hand to the Pen Has Queer Look.

St. Louis, Jan. 19.—Circuit Attorney Sager is not satisfied with the sensationally rapid manner in which, within 18 hours Horace E. Hand, a social leader of East St. Louis and chief clerk of the Terre Haute railroad law department, was arrested, pleaded guilty of forgery, received his sentence, and on his own request was taken to the penitentiary to serve five years imprisonment.

"I mean to go thoroughly into this case, said Mr. Sager, "and find out just what there is in it. It certainly seems very strange that this man, a leader in social and church life, with a pleasant suburban home and family, should actually urge forward the law's course that he might begin a prison sentence."

VANDERBILT.

Personal Chat From the New Borough Down the Yough.

VANDERBILT, Jan. 19.—One week from today the nominations for borough offices will be held. It is very important that every voter, no matter to which party he belongs, to go to the polls and cast his ballot for only such men as he thinks will make the most efficient officers. Among the important offices to be filled are Council, School Director and Assessor. While these different offices may seem small and of very little importance to some, they are at the same time doing an injustice to themselves to entertain such ideas. What is a more important question than the schools? On every hand men will admit that education is "the defense of the nation," and for this reason every man elected a School Director should be a man of good sound judgment, for in him is vested the power to select the teachers who are to mould the characters of the children who attend the public schools. On the other hand the men who are chosen as Councilmen should be possessed of a great deal of foresight and ability, for they, too, levy the taxes and help guide and direct the business of the borough. So while some may look at these matters in a light manner, there is much involved in the questions at issue.

At the Christian Church tomorrow services will be held as follows: Sunday School, at 10 A. M.; communion at 11, and Christian Endeavor at 6:30 P. M. At this service a special program has been prepared and it will no doubt prove interesting, as the members have spent some time in preparing themselves for the entertainment. The public is given an invitation to attend each and every meeting.

Council will meet next Monday evening and a full attendance of all members is desired. It is important that each Councilman be there.

Rev. M. M. Hildebrand, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church will occupy the pulpit tomorrow at 10:45 A. M and 7:30 P. M. Sunday School at 10 o'clock. Friends and members of the church are given a cordial invitation to be present at all of the different services.

Jackson Thomas, the Mercantile Appraiser of near Uniontown, was in town Thursday calling on the merchants. He had started out to work the country districts, but owing to the poor condition of the roads abandoned the trip.

A number of our theatregoers saw "Piff, Paff, Pouf" at the Colonial Theatre, Connellsville, last evening.

At the Cumberland Presbyterian Church tomorrow, the pastor, Rev. T. E. Kerr, will preach at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.; Sunday School at 10 o'clock. Christian Endeavor at 6:30.

Geo. M. Strickler of near town was in New Haven Wednesday on business.

The banquet and dance given by Vanderbilt Council No. 161, Jr. O. U. A. M., in their hall last night was largely attended. At 10:30 a delightful luncheon was served, which was greatly enjoyed. Kiferle's orchestra of Connellsville furnished the music.

DAWSON.

Live Notes From the Busy Little Town Down the Yough.

DAWSON, Jan. 19.—Mrs. Louis Boyne was a Connellsville caller and shopper Friday.

Rev. J. B. Lyle of Scottdale preached in the Presbyterian Church Thursday evening.

Elmer Grim of Masontown, formerly of Dawson, was in town Friday shaking hands with friends.

William Niewenger was a Connellsville business caller Friday.

Dawson was one of the darkest places on the map Friday. A heavy fog hung over the town all day.

Miss Lou McGill was a Connellsville shopper Friday.

The Dawson bowling team would like to arrange games with the Mt. Pleasant and Scottdale teams.

Tonight is the last night of the week's engagement of the Price-Butler company. They have given entire satisfaction and were deserving of a better attendance.

Mrs. Mary Cochran of East Dawson is reported on the sick list.

Earl Sherbondy was calling on Connellsville friends and relatives Friday.

At a recent meeting of the Dawson fire company they elected the following officers: President, Robert G. Cochran; Vice President, William Ellis; Secretary, Roy A. Neville; Treasurer, Harry Cochran; First Lieutenant, Howie Monge; Second Lieutenant, Dan Porter; Captain, William McCune; Chief, Harry C. Rush.

John L. Thomas who has been suffering from an attack of tonsilitis, is able to be around again.

The Connellsville bowling team came down Thursday evening and took two out of three games from the home boys. The Connellsville team has many friends here. They are gentlemen in every respect, and are always on time when a game is scheduled.

Clarence Lucky, car inspector at Dickerson Run, is back at work after a few days' illness.

CONFLUENCE.

Interesting Items From Somerset County's Hustling Town.

CONFLUENCE, Jan. 19.—Mr. Murphy of Hatfieldville was a business caller in town yesterday.

George Butler of Johnson Chapel was transacting business in town yesterday.

M. H. Gardner, the jeweler, is ill.

Job Flanigan, who has been spending the winter with his son Charles, of Outcrop, came to Confluence yesterday where he will visit friends and relatives for ten days. Mr. Flanigan is an old resident of town.

Miss Ora Rink of Johnstown is visiting at the home of R. N. Hay for the past few days.

L. S. Lincoln went to Pittsburg last evening on business relative to his lumber interests.

Dr. W. S. Mountain and A. N. Phipps, two of our School Directors, were visiting our schools yesterday. We will have their reports later.

MT. PLEASANT.

Personal Chat of the Staid Old Westmoreland Town.

MT. PLEASANT, Jan. 18.—A very one sided pool game was played here tonight at Harmon's Diamond parlor, his team winning by a score of 103 to 62 from the Busco four. The Busco team was on the breaking line most of the time and was also played safe at times. The next game will be played at the Busco parlor some night next week. Neither team has won a game in the visiting parlors. The score:

Busco.		Harmon.	
Breckbill	17	Henderson	26
Pore	16	Wilson	27
Boyd	11	Hood	17
Musick	15	Lobingier	33
Total	62	Total	103

Referee, J. Milbee, scorer, Al. Cooper. Scratches, Busco 4; Harmon 3.

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President Roosevelt's Special Message to Congress concerning the Panama Canal has been issued in an illustrated edition, which may be procured from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C., for 50 cents per copy.

The exhaustive manner in which this subject has been treated in this message, with the addition of 7 appendixes and 26 full-page illustrations, makes the publication a veritable text book on this subject of world interest.

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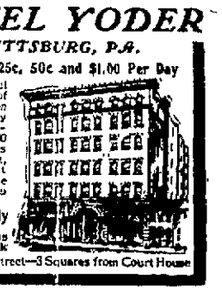
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THE CITY AND COUNTRY.

We have always held to the view that it is the duty of the State Senate to confirm the Governor's appointments unless the persons nominated by him are notoriously unfit. At least one of Governor Stuart's appointments met with decided opposition, but the opposition was political, and consequently in bad taste. The Governor is responsible for his administration and should have a free hand in selecting his subordinates.

It so happens, however, that under this rule, two Philadelphia Governors have given us a distinctly Philadelphia government. What the Quaker City has not been awarded in administrative offices has gone to Pittsburg and Allegheny county.

The country members who "went along" with Senator Pearose to nominate Governor Stuart now have time to ponder over the results of their action. Had they united against the cities of Philadelphia and Pittsburg and nominated a country candidate like Josiah V. Thompson things would have been different. There would have been a more general distribution of the plums.

It's too late to cry over the milk that's spilled, but there is food for thought in the situation. A little more independence on the part of members of State Conventions, and especially country members, would make a happier and better Republican family.

ACHESON ON WATERWAYS.

Congressman Acheson introduced the following resolution in the House of Representatives a few days ago It was referred to the Committee on Rivers and Harbors and will probably be reported with a favorable recommendation:

WHEREAS, The commerce of the country is hampered and its growth restricted by inadequate transportation facilities to such an extent that competent authorities estimate that it would be necessary to increase the railroad mileage from thirty to fifty per centum, with a corresponding increase in sidings, terminals, and equipment, in order to afford proper relief from freight congestion; and

WHEREAS, The improvement upon an extensive scale of our waterways will furnish the most economical method of transacting the heavy and non-perishable products of farm, factory, and mine, and lead to the more rapid development of our resources and expansion of our commerce, affording also the most effective regulator of railroad freight rates; and

WHEREAS, The policy pursued by the National Government in dealing with its great natural arteries of commerce makes it impossible to secure consideration for many meritorious project; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That we favor the immediate adoption of a more liberal policy toward the improvement of waterways, believing that as soon as the financial condition of the country will permit the annual appropriations for internal improvements should equal those made for the Army or Navy, and should be regarded not as ordinary expenses, but as permanent investments, such being the view taken by the most progressive European countries.

Representative Acheson strikes at the root of the transportation problem He has been a student of the question for some years. His earnest efforts for the improvement of the waterways of this section have been made with the firm conviction that the time would come when the water transportation would be essential to the vast industrial establishments in the Pittsburg district. It is evident that he read the future clearly.

The movement for the establishment of slackwater on the Youghiogheny river is not a mere vagary. It is builded on sound business principles It has been laughed at in times past but it was the mirth of the dull and uncomprehending. It is a part of the waterway system of the Ohio, not so great as the Monongahela it is true, but none the less an integral and important part.

DON'T QUIT UNDER FIRE.

The members of the Rockwood Board of Health no doubt acted under a strong provocation when they resigned in a body, but it is doubtful whether they were justified in their act on under any circumstances.

The town is afflicted with a violent outbreak of diphtheria, amounting almost to an epidemic. Good soldiers do not retreat under fire. The necessity for vigorous and effective measure to protect the public health was perhaps never more urgent than right now. The members of the Board of Health should not have deserted their posts in the hour of danger. They owed a duty to the town and to themselves. They should have sunk personal feelings until the crisis had passed, when, if they were then so minded, they might have retired with dignity and no doubt with honor.

Public office is a public trust, whether it carries with it a salary or not. It is one of the penalties as well as one of the rewards of good citizenship. No man occupying an official relation is free from criticism. An angel from above wouldn't satisfy some people.

The public-spirited citizen should bear this in mind, pass by with contempt the slurs of small men, keep his eye fixed on the path of duty, tread it unshrinkingly and leave to calmer future judgment his complete vindication.

BOG HOLES AND BORO REFORM.

The complaints concerning the impassible condition of Tenth street and Francis avenue have been loud and insistent, and where there is so much noise there must be considerable mud.

It does not speak well for the borough administration that two of Connellsville's prominent thoroughfares are bog holes, dangerous in wet weather not only to vehicles but actually to pedestrians.

We boast that our principal streets and many of our alleys are paved with brick. Surely, if conditions have not been favorable to treating the thoroughfares complained of in the same manner, the Town Council owes it to the residents on them and to the citizens generally to at least make them passable.

These are not the only instances in which Democratic reform has been bogged, though not always in the same manner; neither are the Francis avenue and Tenth street citizens the only ones who feel that a change of borough administration would be a change for the better.

The ides of February are close at hand.

Berkey and Critchfield are about the only members of the Governor's official family outside of Philadelphia and Pittsburg, and they are both hold-overs and both from the same county.

The coal companies are kicking against an impending advance in freight rates. Don't they know that the consumer pays the freight?

The river improvements will not find favor at Washington if the Government has to dynamite and destroy many more dams to save the neighborhood from inundation during flood stages

Foggy weather is freighted with grip.

The blizzard is coming, the Blizzard has come! shouts the Uniontown Herald. We are in the grasp of the storm king! gasps the Connellsville News. And still it rains and shines, and is 70 in the shade.

Th bottom seems to be falling out of the West Indies.

The weather and the water are making go-as-you-can railroad and trolley schedules.

The Connellsville school authorities are determined to enforce compulsory education The laws are made to be obeyed, though people as a rule don t know what they are until the newspapers inform them.

The railways are on the slide around this neck o' woods.

The father of twenty children ought to have had a pension.

Editor Pauley of the Waynesburg Messenger explains his absence from the inauguration by saying that the "per pound rate of travel" kept him at home There are a number of other editors afflicted with the same complaint, but the readers of their papers have not suffered any in consequence.

Smithfield is going to have its own trolley line without the aid or consent of any transportation octopus

The Connellsville merchants will honor Lincoln's birthday. They are developing a fondness for dinners and oratory, hitherto monopolized by the old vets. The latter will have to look to their laurels

The missing Rockwood hotel porter cleaned out the hotel instead of cleaning it up, and he put the finishing touches to the work by clearing out.

The Greene county railroads are not dead ones They are still electing officers.

Farmer Croasy has a bunch of railroad bills. The cobbler should stick to his last.

Attorney General Carson fails to find any Capitol graft but he admits that his search has not been exhaustive His finding will not be accepted as conclusive. The Pennsylvania people will have to be shown.

There will be no Winter Primary in Greene county There will be none anywhere else unless the weather changes.

The process of unfrocking Rector Lloyd was unnecessary. He saw the Bishop first.

A 16-year old dead-drunk boy is pretty positive evidence of a flourishing bottle trade in Connellsville.

It is reported that the Saltlick township widow who eloped with another woman's husband took with her some of the Carnegie Hero Fund, thus prostituting it to base uses Money is clean or dirty according to the use it is put to, not the manner of its acquirement.

Uniontown is threatened with a meat famine but "the kitty" is in no danger of being killed

Socia life has become a part of the High School course in this section.

Mad animals seem to be multiplying this winter. The rabies should not be trifled with.

Speaker McClain evidently thought Bruce Sterling was a Republican or a statesman

Secretary Shaw insists upon valuing the Pittsburg Chamber of Commerce at thirty cents.



No, gentle reader, the vast graveyard above is not filled with soldiers killed in their country's defense—neither have all these maimed and wounded ones similarly suffered—they are victims of the great American Railway Accident.

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FOR SALE—8 ROOM TWO FAMILY house, gas and water, South Side New house. Only $2,500. This house is close to new South Side school building. Rents $13 a side Look for my lot sale Saturday.

7 room beautiful new house All conveniences. Close to new school building. $3,600.

4 room house, West Greenwood, City water. $250 cash, balance monthly Price $1,050

4 room house corner Ford P avenue and South Arch street Lot 47x70 $2,600.

6 room house, West Greenwood, with four lots 40x175 each $1 900

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$1450, 40x100 Crawford avenue
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$1050, South Arch street opposite Washington avenue
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$1000 East Cedar avenue, paved street.
$1000 West Washington avenue
$1850 West Green street.
$1250 West Porter avenue.
$750, Race street
$850 Sycamore street

East Side.

$500, Lower Side of Wills Road.
$1200, Near Water Trough on Will's Road

North Side.

$1500, Two lots Eighth street for both
$800, Large lot 18x150, Fairview avenue

South Connellsville.

$800, for two lots, Fourth street
$300, for lot No. 10, Pine street, Gibson
$1000, Lot on Painter street, 80x270 feet, Gibson
$400, Paper Mill road, Gibson
$350, Lot 40x155 Hyndman street Gibson

Lots at East End Acre Gardens.

60x110 $150 $5 down $5 a month
$200, on Main street, 60x165, $5 down, $5 a month

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Administratrix's Notice.

George Patterson, Atty.

ESTATE OF MARY SALIDIAN, Deceased. Letters of Administration on the estate of Mary Salidian, late of Connellsville borough, Fayette county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and to those having claims against the same to present them, properly authenticated, for settlement ANNIE HITCHMAN Administratrix Postoffice address Mt Pleasant, Pa 5jan6td

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF Orphans' Court authorizing me so to do, I will offer at public outcry on the premises, on Saturday February 9th, 1907, at two o'clock P M, all that certain tract of land situate in Bullskin township, Fayette county, Pennsylvania bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post in the public road leading to Snyder's Mills thence along said road and land of D H. Pershing heirs N 41¼° E, 17 to a post, thence along an alley and land now or late of John Holland N 20° W. 118 p to a post, thence by lot now or late of Sylpost, thence by the same N 20½° W 106 p. to a post thence by lots now or late of John Myers and James Murphy S 70¼° W. 128 p to a post, thence by lots now or late of J. Murphy, J. T. Stoutter and Joseph Haigh S 23½° E 179 p to a post, thence by lot now or late of Mrs David Patterson S 40° E. 133 p to the place of beginning. Containing two acres and one hundred and seventeen perches, more or less, on which there are erected a frame cottage dwelling house, containing three rooms kitchen, cellar, frame stable and outbuildings There is also a good orchard on the tract of land and it is located conveniently to market, schools and churches, making a chance for a comfortable home for some one who wants a property of this kind.

TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid on said day of sale, balance of one-half on confirmation of sale and the remainder in six months from confirmation of sale with interest, and with the right to the purchaser to anticipate payment Deed to be delivered on confirmation of sale and deferred payments to be secured by mortgage on the premises, said mortgage to contain a sci fa. clause and insurance clause. MARY FREED, Administratrix c t a. of Mary Ann Patterson, deceased. jan10d-3tw

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THE WEATHER.

Western Pena—Occasional rain in south and rain or snow in north portion Saturday, and snow, fresh to east southeast winds

A DOLLAR SALE
Wednesday, Jan. 23

On Wednesday morning we offer you your choice of the goods mentionedbelow for $1.00. Only reason we have for this sale is that we want to get rid of these goods. we do not want them around at stocktaking time. Besides these we mention here there's a number of articles of which the quantity is too small to mention here. These will be on the tables in the Cloak room with the others at the same price. You can take our word for it this will be a bargain sale that will be worth your while to make an effort to get here at prompt 8 o'clock Wednesday morning.

Infant's Coats.

Size1 to 4 years. Sold for $4 00 and $5 00 Mostly Beaverskin, colors, brown, blue and red.

Infant's Hoods.

Colors to match the coats, sold for $2.00 and $3 00.

Ladies' Muslin Skirts.

Sold for $1.25 and $1.50 and $2.00. Hemstitched and tucked ruffle. About a dollar's worth of material alone in each one of these.

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Short and long. Dresses that sold for $1.25 and $1.50. Well made and a good material. A splendid bargain.

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All wool, just enough for one skirt. Sold for $1.25 and $1.50.

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Knit from fancy yarn, mostly light colors. Sold for $2.00 and $2 50 each About a dozen of these.

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Six pairs in a box and all for $1 00 Sizes 6 to 9½ At this price we can not break the boxes. If you do not know about these we have this to say: They are the best 25c Boy's Stocking on the market.

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Five patterns at this price of $1 00 yard, and that means made, laid and lined Not remnants—Stinson Tapestry and Velvet.

Lace Curtains.

Swiss and Lace Curtains that sold for $1 25 and $1 50 the pair.

Table Covers.

Tapestry Table Covers and Stand Covers that sold for $1.25, $1 50 and $2.00 Odd lots of these in odd sizes that we want to get rid of.

Odds and Ends.

A table full of these Have not considered former prices Simply want to get rid of them and avoid the trouble of taking account of small lots. Any article on the table for $1 00.

SALE STARTS AT 8 O'CLOCK,

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½ PRICE SUIT SALE,
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Ladies' $12.50 Suits ½ off	$ 6.25
Ladies' 15.50 Suits ½ off	7.75
Ladies' $18.50 Suits ½ off	9.25
Ladies' 20.00 Suits ½ off	10.00
Ladies' 25.00 Suits ½ off	12.50
Ladies' 28.50 Suits ½ off	14.25
Ladies' 35.00 Suits ½ off	17.50
Misses' 12.50 Suits ½ off	6.25
Misses' 18.50 Suits ½ off	9.25
Misses' 22.00 Suits ½ off	11.00
Misses' 26.50 Suits ½ off	13.25

Another **strong point** about this sale; the assortment so large and diversified, little trouble will be experienced in finding suits to suit you.

We propose making this a suit sale opportunity surpassing any ever seen here—prices the lowest ever known for the style and quality offered.

Remember this sale begins
Wednesday, January 23 and closes Saturday, P. M., January 26--Four Big Days.

Evening Slipper Sale Now On.

The first days sale was satisfactory. If the other three days are as good, they will all go by Monday evening. This is what we want. The price is making them go.

A Spledid Opportunity

for any lady to own a pair of our Best Evening Slippers at a very small cost There is scarcely a lady in Connellsville that does not need a pair Evening Slippers for some occasion during the year They are a good thing to have at all times.

Remember you can buy all of our different styles and our very best slippers for only $2.00 a pair. Take the opportunity while you have the chance to save money. Some are buying two pairs. Sale closes Monday evening. Come in.

Second Special Sale in Monday's Paper for Men.

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SENIOR CLASS PARTY.

The Scottdale High School Was Entertained by Miss Clara Collins.

ACCEPTS RAYMOND'S DARE.

Deputy Sheriff "Bennie" Brown Will Try to Successfully Shackle the Handcuff King—Baptists Elect Officers for the Year—The Sunday Services.

SCOTTDALE, Jan. 19.—The Senior Class of the Scottdale High School was entertained by Miss Clara Collins at her pleasant home on West Pittsburg street on Thursday evening in a most enjoyable manner, 20 guests being present, some of them members of last year's class. Music, games and a dainty lunch made up the program of a delightful evening, the fourth of a series of such social events. Among those present were Misses Margaret Shannon, Ethel Fretts, Jess Dinger, Edna Breegle, Margaret Muir, Mae King, Anna Mae Long, Bess McLaughlin, Margaret Lee, Dora Culler, Lillian Webb, Clara Collins and Edgar Lowe, Harold Skomp, John Van Horn, John Webb, Carlisle Massaess, William Muir, William Huffman, Nevin Smouse and Miles Thompson, the last two former members.

Deputy Sheriff Ben Brown of Greensburg wrote to A. J. Geyer, manager of the Opera House, Friday evening, that he will accept the challenge of Raymond, the "Handcuff King," to try to handcuff and shackle the latter on the stage of the opera house Monday night, when Raymond begins a three night's engagement here. "Bennie" says that there will be Davy Shupe, County Commissioner, and a whole car load of the Greensburg boys come down, with a plenty of the best stuff of the Westmoreland county jail to fasten Raymond with. If "Bennie" doesn't back out, and that is something he does not do, there will be some fun.

The congregation of the First Baptist Church, Rev. E. C. Kunkle, pastor, have elected their officers for the year: Trustee, five years, B. F. Overholt; Deacons, two years, John M. Stauffer, J. T. Sayres and C. B. Bates; Secertary of Finance, Abraham Smith; Secretary of Benovolence, J. W. Clark; Organist, Lyman Fuller; Assistant Organist, Miss Cora Herbert; Ushers, C. D. Reid, Arthur Skomp, Herbert Rush, Harold Atwood, Harold Skomp Edgar Lowe, C. B. Bates, John E. Howells;. Music Committee, Fred L. Brown, John M. Stauffer, David Davis; Secretary of Home Department, C. B. Bates; Superintendent of the Sunday School, Robert Skomp; Assistant Superintendent, John M. Stauffer; Secretary and Treasurer, W. W. Eicher; Assistant Superintendent and Librarian, David Davis. Sunday, January 27, has been chosen for the first services to be held in the chapel of the new $50,000 church which the congregation is building on Chestnut street and which will be dedicated in the spring.

John Bowman has sued S P. Suter of East Huntingdon township for entering his house and taking a cupboard, during the absence of Bowman's family. There is a dispute over the ownership of the cupboard and Justice H. C. Hubbs before whom the case was heard, required Mr. Suter to enter bail for court, no agreement being made between the parties.

Several Scottdale people expect to visit the Poultry show at Uniontown today. The Little Red Hen has many admiring followers about here, but they are not at all satisfied with the way the hen is failing to lay these days

Don't forget to order a copy of The Sunday Courier from your carrier.

Another breed of weather let loose on Friday. The optimist has a good chance to show himself these days But nearly everyone agrees that the weather is not so pleasing as it might be.

The Sunday services are mostly of an evangelistic nature. Rev. Archibald Auld, will preach at the Methodist Episcopal Church in Alverton Sunday morning at 11 o'clock; at Jacob's Creek Church at 3 in the afternoon, and Wesley Chapel at 7.30 in the evening.

At the United Brethren Church, Rev. W. W. Williamson, pastor, morning sermon at 11 o'clock will be "How the People Grieve the Holy Ghost;" at 7.30 P. M. "The Pentecostal Revival." Special evangelical meetings are going every evening but Saturday, with good vocal and orchestral music.

The First Methodist Episcopal, Rev. William C. Weaver, pastor, morning sermon, "Testing a Promise;" evening sermon, "The Judgement Day."

Trinity United Evangelical Church, Rev. P. D. Steelsmith, pastor, prayer class meeting at 10 A. M.; preaching at 7.30. Evangelistic services are going on every night including Saturday, and 28 seekers have been found

United Presbyterian Church, Rev. H. W. Millen, pastor, morning sermon, "Christian Righteousness;" evening sermon, "More Than Conqueror."

First Presbyterian Church, Rev. J. B. Lyle, pastor, morning sermon, "The Exaltation of Christ;" evening sermon, "Are Your Feet Fitted Out for Such a Journey?"

Rev. C. W. Haines, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Mt. Pleasant, will speak to the meeting at the Young Men's Christian Association Sunday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock



Maxim Gorky

Maxim Gorkey, the greatest Russian novelist since Tolsto and whose real place in literature must still be finally decided on by students and critics, only recently left this country to return to Russia to assist in the bringing on of better times. He was born in Nijni Novgorod in 1868 At 10 years of age he apprenticed himself to a shoemaker, with whom he ed a life of horror for one year, and then shifted to work in a draftsman's office. A year later he ran away on a small river steamer, where for three years he served as a cook's boy. He afterwards cooked for a baker and a street porter, later he joined a crowd of street singers and sold apples about the streets of many Russian cities. He began to write in 1892, and was taken up by the weekly newspapers in provincial Russia. He at once achieved fame and soon his works were translated into nearly every modern language Mr. Gorky is married, but he separated from his wife sometime ago.

Sunday Services in the Churches.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, THE stone church just below the Carnegie Library; minister, E. A. E. Palmquist, residence, the Wyman Hotel; office hours, daily from 1.30 to 2 and from 6.30 to 7 P. M. private phone, Tri-State No. 827. Services for Sunday as follows. 9.45, A. M., Bible school; 11 A. M., public worship, at which the pastor will preach, theme, "Invisible Power;" 2.30 P. M., Junior Union; 6.30 P. M Senior Union; 7.30 P. M., evening service, opened with 15 minutes of hearty congregational singing. The pastor will speak on "The Devil's City." A cordial invitation is extended to all who are affiliated elsewhere. Strangers especially welcomed.

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH The pastor, Dr. J. J. Huston, is in Belle Center, O., engaging in evangelistic meetings and will return home the last of next week. There will be no preaching in the United Presbyterian Church here Sabbath morning. The Sunday School will meet at 10 A. M. and the Christian Union at 6.30 P. M. Rev. M S. McBane will preach at 7.30 P. M Rev. McBane has many friends in Connellsville who will be glad to have the opportunity of hearing him Sabbath evening.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, REV W A. Edie, pastor. Communion services will be held in the morning Rev Albert G. McGarrah of Big Oak Flats, Cal., will deliver an address in the evening on "Work Among the Gold Miners." He is from the Ralph Conner country, and is visiting some of the Eastern Presbyteries by appointment of the Board of Home Missions. All are welcome. The Italian Bible school and service in the chapel at 3 P. M., conducted by Rev. Joseph Pinetta.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH, Rev. Ellis B Burgess, pastor. Divine services will be held at 11 A M and 7.30 P. M. At the morning service the Holy Communion will be administered and new members will be received into the fellowship of the congregation At 10 A. M., in connection with the Sunday School there will be a rally of the Home Department members, and a competent teacher will give instruction on the lesson for the day. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH, C. M. WATSON, pastor. "The Problem of Christian Union" is the morning subject. "Jacob, the Overreacher," is the evening subject. The times for the services are 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. The Sunday School meets at 9.30 in the morning, the C. E. Society at 6.30 in the evening. W. S. Goode, pastor of the Central Christian Church of Youngstown, O., will assist the pastor in a two weeks' meeting beginning February 4

GERMAN LUTHERAN, ST JOHN'S Church, Library avenue, George Dietz, pastor. Services at 10.30 A. M., subject of sermon taken from St. Mark XVI, 16; Sunday School at 9 o'clock; Ladies' Aid Society at 11.30. In the afternoon Rev. Dietz will hold German services at Uniontown at the Methodist Protestant Church near the Pennsylvania depot at 3 o'clock.

REV. B. W ANTHONY, D D, PRESident of Adrian College, Mich., will deliver an address in the Methodist Protestant Church Sabbath morning at 10.30. The members of the church congregation and all friends are urged to avail themselves of this opportunity to hear an excellent address and to meet President Anthony.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Dunbar. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 o'clock; Sunday school and Bible class, 2.30 P M; evening prayer and sermon, 7.30. Tuesday, Ladies' Guild, at 2.30 P M; Men's Club, Tuesday evening at 7.30; Friday evening, Litany service and choir rehearsal. Rev. T. Lloyd, rector.

METHODIST PROTESTANT CHURCH, Sabbath School, 9.15 A M; divine worship, 10.30; class meeting, 11.30; Y. P. S. C. E., 6.00 P. M; evening service, 7.30 prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30 Those not attending services elsewhere are cordially invited to these services.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH, NEW HAVEN. Services on Sunday at 11 A. M., with the celebration of the Holy Communion. The new pastor will officiate and address the congregation on "Good Churchmanship." A cordial invitation is extended to all friends of the Episcopal Church.

THE UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH, Crawford avenue, W. V. Barnhart, pastor. Bible School at 10 A. M; preaching, 11 A. M.; Gospel services at 7.30 P. M., Young People's meeting at 6.30 P. M. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

THE WELSH CONGREGATIONAL Church, South Connellsville Rev. Ellis B Burgess will preach and administer the Holy Communion to this congregation at six o'clock on Sunday evening.

THE LEISENRING PRESBYTERIAN Church Rev Francis Carruthers late of New York, will preach at No 1 at 11 A M, and at No. 2 in the afternoon. All are invited.

From Westmoreland's County Seat.

GREENSBURG, Jan 19.—A revision and comparison of the figures of the triennial statement of Westmoreland county for 1907 shows that the real estate values have increased from the last assessment of seventy six millions to over one hundred and ten millions. The County Commissioners made it plain that they meant what they said in instructing the Assessors to make their returns according to the oath of office they had taken The total taxable property for county, borough and school purposes is $115,068,225.

Herman Geary, son of J. H. Geary, of New Florence, was instantly killed yesterday afternoon by being struck by No. 13, one of the fast Pennsylvania flyers at New Florence. Geary was employed as an engineer by the contractors who are widening the P R R tracks at New Florence and was walking home on the tracks when he met his death. His body was horribly mangled. Geary is survived by his wife and four children. The Coroner was notified but no inquest will be held as Geary was trespassing when the accident occurred

CARNEGIE'S ADVICE.

The Laird of Skibo Makes Some Sound Remarks on an Important Subject.

In a recent interview Andrew Carnegie said: "Every young man should have a savings account in a good, strong bank. It is the one investment that is always worth one hundred cents on the dollar." Many, in early life, practised what he now preaches. It was the money that he saved and placed in bank that gave him his start Any young man who wishes to follow his example will find the First National Bank of Connellsville an absolutely safe bank, paying 4 per cent. interest on savings accounts

Bridgeport.

BRIDGEPORT Jan 18.—Rev Steelsmith will preach in the United Evangelical Church Sunday at 2.30 P M.

A number of members of the Evangelical Church held prayer meeting at the home of Mrs. Long Mt. Pleasant recently

Maggie Seighman was shopping in McClure on Thursday

Proof.

The many testimonials received from clergymen, physicians, public institutions and thousands of grateful people all over the country telling of the benefits they have received from Father John's Medicine.—See below:

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AN OLD SOLDIER'S LETTER.

Mr. John H. Senter of Lynn, 84 years old, says: "Father John's Medicine built me up and made me vigorous again. It cured my daughter of grip when four doctors had failed."

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This January Clearance Sale offers a thousand and one brilliant inducements to present and prospective householders, and if they do not sieze upon them they overlook the best bargains this house has ever offered. You understand probably that we are growing greater every year, and each succeeding season, therefore, brings a better January than its predecessor. You have the full advantage of a ***Credit System*** which could not be improved by the all credit men of America in convention assembled. Try it and see.

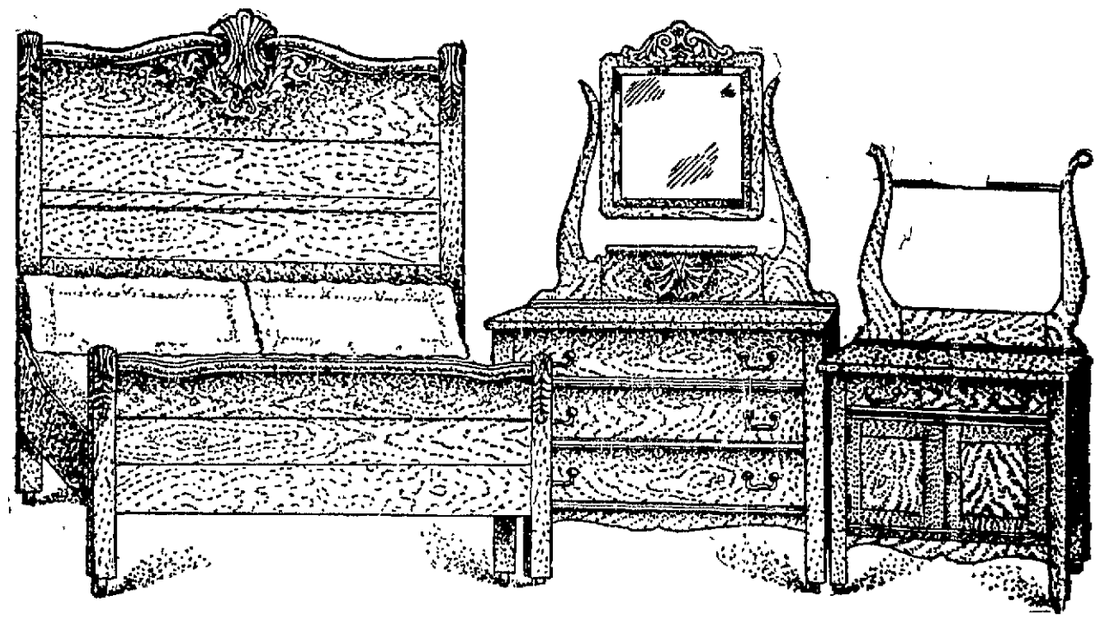
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3 lbs. Evaporated Apples	21c
3 Bottles Catsup	25c
1 lb. Black Pepper	18c
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20c Bottle Preserves	19c
25c Jar Apple Butter	21c
3 Cans Tomatoes	25c
3 Cans Baker's Corn	21c
3 Cans Pumpkin	21c
3 Cans Kraut	24c
3 Cans Hominy	24c
3 Boxes H. O. Presto	21c
3 Boxes Buckwheat	21c
3 Bottles Sweet Cherkins	25c
3 Bottles Ladies' Shoe Dressing	21c
Wiggle Stick Blue, 5c size, 1 for	10c
Wiggle Stick Blue, 10c size, 3 for	25c
Snowberry Soap, 6 cakes for	25c
Lamp Chimneys, No. 2	8c
Lamp Chimneys, No. 1	6c
Lima Beans, 2 quarts for	24c
Soup Beans, 3 quarts for	24c
10-lb. Bucket White Fish	90c
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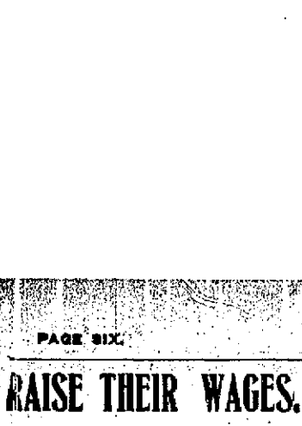
NO LIKELIHOOD OF A STRIKE

Vote Was Taken In Such a Manner That Members Who Voted Aye Are Not Recorded by Name—Littauer's Clever Scheme Succeeds.

Washington, Jan. 19.—The senate deferred further action on the Brownsville matter until Monday. It passed a bill authorizing relief for earthquake smitten Jamaica, agreed to a resolution directing an investigation of the lumber trust, and passed a bill increasing the artillery corps of the army. Senator Kittredge spoke regarding the lumber trust, declaring there was a combination completely controlling the lumber industry and detailing its methods.

By a vote of 133 to 95, the house voted that the salaries of senators, representatives and the delegates from Porto Rico, Hawaii and Alaska, be increased to $7,500 per year after March 4, 1907, and fixing the salaries of the vice president, speaker and members of the cabinet at $12,000.

Mr. Littauer of New York precipitated one of the most interesting and exciting episodes in the history of the



LUCIUS N. LITTAUER.

59th congress when he moved to take the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill from the speaker's table, as it had passed the senate, and to amend the same by inserting a provision increasing the salary of the vice president, the speaker of the house, and members of the cabinet to $12,000 each; increasing the salaries of senators, representatives in congress, delegates from the territories and the resident commissioner from Porto Rico to $7,500 per annum.

Several Members Object.

Nearly every member was present when Mr. Littauer made his motion, both Republican and Democratic leaders having sent out hurry calls for absent members, and almost instantly members were on their feet in protest to a cut and dried program for increasing salaries without a roll-call. Mr. Crumpacker of Indiana said he was opposed to members of congress voting to increase their own salaries and he would therefore vote against the amendment. Representative Gillette of Massachusetts was against increasing salaries of members from the time fixed, but was in favor of increasing them from March 4, 1909, a congress yet to be elected.

Mr. Burleson, Texas, stated that he had voted for the amendment when it first came before the house but would vote against it in its present form.

When the previous question was ordered, there was a resounding chorus of ayes in favor of passage of the amendment, the nays being noticeable through their absence. On the division being taken, the amendment was declared carried by ayes 138, noes 92.

Nobody Goes on Record.

Mr. Macon of Arkansas called for the yeas and nays, but only 34 members rose. "Not a sufficient number," declared the speaker, and the amendment was declared adopted.

The only other action to be taken with reference to this amendment is for the senate to confirm. It will not again come up in the house unless the senate should amend the amendment. The bill was then sent to conference, the conferees on the part of the house being Messrs. Bingham, Littauer, and Livingston.

An hour or more after the house had adopted the provision for an increase in the salaries of senators and members, the bill was returned to the senate for the purpose of securing the action of that body, but the senate went into executive session without taking it up. The matter is therefore forced over until next week.

Eight Killed in Church.

Lodz, Russian Poland, Jan. 19.—The refusal of a priest to bless the remains of two workmen killed in a street fight led to a conflict in the church between the congregation and a band of socialists. Revolver shots were exchanged freely with the result that eight persons were killed and 13 wounded.

Bailey Must Stand Trial.

Austin, Tex., Jan. 19.—By a vote of 65 to 55 the lower house in the Texas legislature adopted the Kennedy substitute to the Duncan resolution looking to an investigation of Senator Bailey and his connection and association with the Waters-Pierce Oil Co.

DUN'S REVIEW OF TRADE

Summary of Business Conditions Throughout the Country.

New York, Jan. 19.—Dun's Weekly Review of Trade says today:

"Trade in winter fabrics improved as the weather became more seasonable, but reports for the week are most irregular on account of varying temperature. Improvement in the traffic situation was checked by snow blockades, and the best railway authorities state that expanding needs of the nation can only be met by a much greater expenditure for new track and rolling stock than has yet been contemplated. Clearance sales have made good progress, and new business for spring delivery is coming to jobbers and wholesale houses in large volume.

"Manufacturing returns could not well be more favorable, contracts in many cases covering deliveries into 1908, while at some steel and cotton mills orders are not accepted for shipment during the first half of 1907. A few labor disputes are in progress but most wage earners are fully employed and several liberal advances in pay were announced during the week. Consumption of pig iron exceeds production, despite the greatest rate of domestic output ever recorded as attested by the heavy imports without any depressing effect on quotations. Receipts from abroad are probably averaging 50,000 tons each month and contracts call for the maintenance of this movement for some time to come. Premiums of a dollar or more per ton are frequently paid for prompt delivery and orders covering shipments during the last half of the year are placed with little dispute as to price. All sections of the steel industry proceed in a manner that indicates assurance of no decreased activity this year at least.

"Available supplies of coke do not increase, although production is above all records and prices for remote shipment are higher than recent spot figures.

"Commodity prices have moved irregularly. Wheat advanced on reports of small interior arrivals, but reacted as the Argentine crop estimates increased. Corn had the support of statements that excessive moisture was affecting the quality, but shipments increased and exports continued most unsatisfactory. Northwestern flour mills have increased production until there appears an increase over last year's figures."

EPIDEMIC OF RABIES

Animals Bitten by Mad Dog Last Summer Spread Infection.

Akron, O., Jan. 19.—A mad dog, which was on a rampage in Brimfield, this county, last summer, is blamed for the fact that over 50 head of valuable stock had to be killed; that John Simmons is dead of hydrophobia, and that Mrs. Simmons, his wife, is under surveillance, all within the last two weeks.

The incident of last summer's mad dog was forgotten until recently, when cows throughout Brimfield began to go mad and snap and bite. Farmers neglected to slaughter the afflicted animals until they had bitten many others, and now it seems that all the victims are going mad at once.

Simmons was bitten by a horse that suddenly went mad while he was with the animal in the stable. He died in convulsions. Mrs. Simmons, who attended him in his first paroxysm, was bitten by her husband. The wound has been cauterized and now arrangements are being made to send her to Chicago for Pasteur treatment. In the meantime she is closely watched.

WILL AID STRUCK SHOP

Striking Printers Offer Help to Proprietor Who Was Burned Out.

Chicago, Jan. 19.—An innovation in union tactics has been introduced by striking printers here. The new move was nothing less than an offer from the officers and men of Franklin Union No. 16 to assist M. A. Donohue & Sons, whose plant at 427 Dearborn street was partially destroyed by fire some days ago, in getting the plant together and turning out delayed work—all of which is not to have any bearing upon the labor difficulties which caused Donohue's men to walk out.

Edwin R. Wright, president of the union, said: "The Donohue firm has met with a disaster which it will take some days of hard work to overcome. Our men, many of them, are not employed, and they think that they might as well assist their former employer in his time of need. It will, of course, have nothing to do with the differences which brought about the strike."

Mr. Donohue has not replied to the offer, but it is understood it will be accepted.

Wabash Increases Capital.

Columbus, O., Jan. 19.—The Wabash railroad company has filed with the secretary of state a certificate of an increase of $16,500,000 in its preferred stock, the proceeds from the sale of which are to be used in constructing second track, extensions and other improvements. The increase makes the total preferred stock of the Wabash $34,500,000. The company paid a fee of $16,500 to the secretary of state for the issuance of articles authorizing the increase in stock.

Southern Associations for President.

Birmingham, Ala., Jan. 19.—The Southern Cotton Association in convention has adopted a resolution unanimously indorsing President Roosevelt in dismissing the negro troops at Brownsville. A special dispatch will be sent to the president to this effect.

Teapot Blows Up.

Marion, Ind., Jan. 19.—A teapot being lifted from a stove by Mrs. Charles Kribbs burst and the leaves of the tea were driven into the flesh of her face, greatly disfiguring it.

BITTEN BY MAD HOGS

Young Farmer Fatally Injured in Desperate Encounter.

Mt. Vernon, O., Jan. 19.—Hoy Levering, a young farmer, had a desperate struggle with two mad pigs in which he was perhaps fatally injured before he killed the animals.

The hogs were fighting in a pen when Levering attempted to separate them. They immediately turned on him and a desperate struggle followed. Levering's clothes were torn from his body and he was terribly lacerated by the hogs fastening their teeth in his flesh. As a last resort he jerked a board from the fence and dispatched both animals. Physicians say he cannot recover.

Finds Babe in a Sack.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Jan. 19.—The remains of a baby about six months old were found on the commons by a negro woman. It was in an ordinary grass sack and had been stuffed under a fence. It is thought to be of white parentage.

Better Wages for Steel Men.

Pittsburg, Jan. 19.—A readjustment of wages among nearly 17,000 workmen of the Cambria Steel Co. at Johnstown, who are employed by the hour, has been made. The increase will range from 6 to 10 per cent.

Chicago Grain Market.

Chicago, Jan. 18.—General selling, the greater part of which was in the nature of realizing, caused weakness today in the local market for wheat, corn and oats. At the close wheat for May delivery was down ⅝. Corn was ⅜@¼ lower, and oats ¼ lower. May options closed: Wheat, 76⅝@76¾; corn, 44⅞@45; oats, 37¾.

PITTSBURG MARKETS—JAN. 18.

Corn—High mixed shelled, 45@46; new yellow ear, 51@51½; new yellow shelled, 47@47½.

Oats—No. 2 white, 41@41½.

Hay—No. 1 timothy new, $20@20.50; No. 1 clover, $18@18.50; No. 1 mixed, $18@18.50.

Eggs—Fancy selected, 28@29.

Butter—Prints, 32@32½; tubs, 31½@32; Ohio creamery, 29½@30½.

Cheese—New York full cream, new, 15@15½; Ohio full cream, 14½@15.

Cattle—Prime to fancy, fat, smooth, steers, $5.85@6; green, coarse, rough fat steers, $4.75@5.25; fat, smooth, dry fed light steers, $5@5.25; choice milch cows, $40@55; good, fat smooth handy butchers' bulls, $3.50@4; feeding steers, good style, weight and extra quality, $4.25@4.75; feed steers, common to good quality, $3.50@4; fair to choice stockers, $3@3.75.

Calves—Veals, good to choice, $8.50@9; veals, fair to good, $7.50@8.50.

Hogs—Good to prime heavy, $6.75@6.80; choice medium weights, $6.80@6.90; best heavy yorkers, $6.85@6.90; good light yorkers, $6.90; pigs, good to prime, $6.90.

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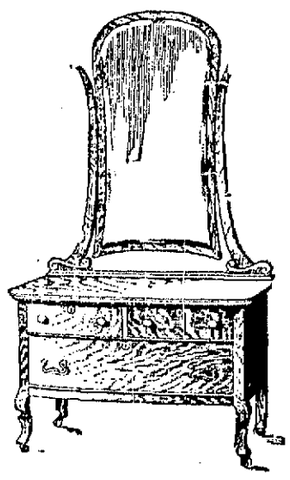
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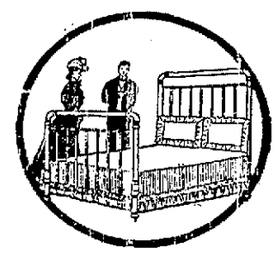
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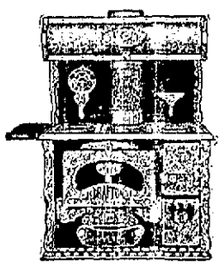


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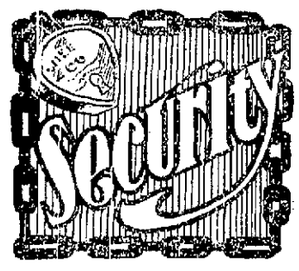
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"Astrupp had caught a fever in Florence, and I was rushing away for fear of the infection, when our stupid little train ran off the rails near Pistoria and smashed itself up. Fortunately we were within half a mile of a village, so we weren't quite bereft. The village was impossibly, like a toy village, and the accommodation what one would expect in a Noah's ark, but it was all absolutely picturesque. I put up at the little inn with my maid and Ko Ko—Ko Ko was such a sweet dog—a white poodle. I was tremendously keen on poodles that year." She stopped and looked thoughtfully toward the fire.

"But, to come to the point of the story, Jack, the toy village had a boy doll!" She laughed again. "He was an Englishman—and the first person to come to my rescue on the night of the smashup. He was staying at the Noah's ark inn, and after that first night I—he—we— Oh, Jack, haven't you any imagination?" Her voice sounded petulant and sharp. The man who is indifferent to the recital of an old love affair implies the worst kind of listener. "I believe you aren't interested," she added in another and more reproachful tone.

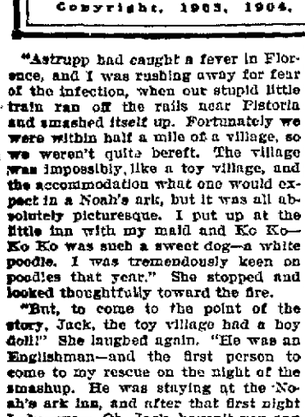
He leaned forward. "You're wrong there," he said slowly. "I'm deeply interested."

She glanced at him again. His tone reassured her, but his words left her uncertain. Chilcote was rarely emphatic. With a touch of hesitation she went on with her tale:

"As I told you, he was the first to find us—to find me, I should say, for my stupid maid was having hysterics farther up the line, and Ko Ko was lost. I remember the first thing I did was to send him in search of Ko Ko"—

Notwithstanding his position, Loder found occasion to smile. "Did he succeed?" he said dryly.

"Succeed? Oh, yes, he succeeded" She also smiled involuntarily. "Poor Ko Ko was stowed away under the luggage van, and after quite a lot of trouble he pulled him out. When it was all done the dog was quite unhurt and livelier than ever, but the Englishman



She drew quite close to Loder and slid gently to her knees.

had his finger almost bitten through. Ko Ko was a dear, but his teeth and his temper were both very sharp." She laughed once more in soft amusement.

Loder was silent for a second, then he too laughed—Chilcote's short, sarcastic laugh. "And you tied up the wound, I suppose?"

She glanced up, half displeased. "We were both staying at the little inn," she said, as though no further explanation could be needed. Then again her manner changed. She moved imperceptibly nearer and touched his right hand. His left, which was farther away from her, was well in the shadow of the cushions.

"Jack," she said caressingly, "it isn't to tell you this stupid old story that I've brought you here. It's really to tell you a sort of sequel." She stroked his hand gently once or twice. "As I say, I met this man and we—we became very fond of each other. You understand? Then we quarreled—quarreled quite badly—and I came away. I've remembered him rather longer than I remember most people—he was one of those dogged individuals who stick in one's mind. But he *has stayed* in mine for another reason"— Again she looked up. "He has stayed because you helped to keep him there. You know how I have sometimes put my hands over your mouth and told you that your eyes reminded me of some one else? Well, that some one else was my Englishman. But you mustn't be jealous. He was a horrid, obstinate person, and you—well, you know what I think of you"— She pressed his hand. "But to come to the end of the story. I never saw this man since that long ago time until—until the night of Blanche's party!" She spoke slowly, to give full effect to her words. Then she waited for his surprise.

But the result was not what she expected. He said nothing, and, with an abrupt movement, he drew his hand from between hers.

"Aren't you surprised?" she asked at last, with a delicate note of reproof.

He started slightly, as if recalled to the necessity of the moment. "Surprised?" he said. "Why should I be surprised? One person more or less at a big party isn't astonishing. Besides, you expect a man to turn up sooner or later in his own country. Why should I be surprised?"

She lay back luxuriously. "Because, my dear boy," she said softly, "it is a mystery! It's one of those fascinating mysteries that come once in a lifetime."

Loder made no movement. "You must explain," he said very quietly.

Lillian smiled. "That's just what I want to do. When I was in my tent on the night of Blanche's party, a man came to be gazed for. He came just like anybody else and laid his hands upon the table. He had strong, thin hands like—well, rather like yours. But he wore two rings on the third finger of his left hand—a heavy signet ring and a plain gold one."

Loder moved his hand imperceptibly till the cushion covered it. Lillian's words caused him no surprise, scarcely even any trepidation. He felt now that he had expected them, even waited for them, all along.

"I asked him to take off his rings," she went on, "and just for a second he hesitated—I could feel him hesitate. Then he seemed to have made up his mind, for he drew them off. He drew them off, Jack, and guess what I saw! Do guess!"

For the first time Loder involuntarily drew back into his corner of the couch. "I never guess," he said brusquely.

"Then I'll tell you. His hands were the hands of my Englishman! The rings covered the scar made by Ko Ko's teeth. I knew it instantly—the second my eyes rested on it. It was the same scar that I had bound up dozens of times, that I had seen healed before I left Santasalare."

"And you? What did you do?" Loder felt it singularly difficult and unpleasant to speak.

"Ah, that's the point. That's where I was stupid and made my mistake. I should have spoken to him on the moment, but I didn't. You know how one sometimes hesitates. Afterward it was too late."

"But you saw him afterward—in the rooms?" Loder spoke unwillingly.

"No, I *didn't*—that's the other point. I didn't see him in the rooms, and I haven't seen him since. Directly he was gone I left the tent—I pretended to be hungry and bored—but, though I went through every room, he was nowhere to be found. Once"—she hesitated and laughed again—"once I thought I had found him, but it was only you—you, as you stood in that doorway with your mouth and chin hidden by Leonard Kaine's head. Wasn't it a quaint mistake?"

There was an uncertain pause. Then Loder, feeling the need of speech, broke the silence suddenly. "Where do I come in?" he asked abruptly. "What am I wanted for?"

"To help to throw light on the mystery! I've seen Blanche's list of people, and there wasn't a man I couldn't place — no outsider ever squeezes through Blanche's door. I have questioned Bobby Blessington, but he can't remember who came to the tent last. And Bobby was supposed to have kept count!" She spoke in deep scorn, but almost immediately the scorn faded and she smiled again. "Now that I've explained, Jack," she added, "what do you suggest?"

Then for the first time Loder knew what his presence in the room really meant, and at best the knowledge was disconcerting. It is not every day that a man is called upon to unearth himself.

"Suggest?" he repeated blankly.

"Yes. I'd rather have your idea of the affair than anybody else's. You are so dear and sarcastic and keen that you can't help getting straight at the middle of a fact."

When Lillian wanted anything she could be very sweet. She suddenly dropped her half petulant tone; she suddenly ceased to be a spoiled child. With a perfectly graceful movement she drew quite close to Loder and slid gently to her knees.

This is an attitude that few women can safely assume. It requires all the attributes of youth, suppleness and a certain buoyant ease. But Lillian never acted without justification and as she leaned toward Loder, her face lifted, her slight figure and pale hair softened by the firelight, she made a picture that it would have been difficult to criticise.

But the person who should have appreciated it stared steadily beyond it to the fire. His mind was absorbed by one question—the question of how he might reasonably leave the house before discovery became assured.

Lillian, attentively watchful of him, saw the uneasy look, and her own face fell. But, as she looked, an inspiration came to her—a remembrance of many interviews with Chilcote smoothed and facilitated by the timely use of tobacco.

"Jack," she said softly, "before you say another word I insist on your lighting a cigarette." She leaned forward, resting against his knee.

At her words Loder's eyes left the fire. His attention was suddenly needed for a new and more imminent difficulty. "Thanks!" he said quickly. "I—I have no wish to smoke."

"It isn't a matter of what you wish, but of what I say." She smiled. She knew that Chilcote with a cigarette between his lips was infinitely more tractable than Chilcote sitting idle, and she had no intention of ignoring the knowledge.

But Loder caught at her words. "Before you ordered me to smoke," he said, "you told me to give you some advice. Your first command must have prior claim." He grasped unhesitatingly at the less risky theme.

She looked up at him. "You're always nicer when you smoke," she persisted caressingly. "Light a cigarette—and give me one."

Loder's mouth became set. "No," he said, "we'll stick to this advice business. It interests me."

"Yes—afterward."

"No, now. You want to find out why this Englishman from Italy was at your sister's party and why he disappeared?"

There are times when a malignant obstinacy seems to affect certain people. The only answer Lillian made was to pass her hand over Loder's waistcoat and, feeling his cigarette case, to draw it from the pocket.

He affected not to see it. "Do you think he recognized you in that tent?" he insisted desperately.

She held out the case. "Here are your cigarettes. You know we're always more social when we smoke."

In the short interval while she looked up into his face several ideas passed through Loder's mind. He thought of standing up suddenly and so regaining his advantage. He wondered quickly whether one hand could possibly suffice for the taking out and lighting of two cigarettes. Then all need for speculation was pushed suddenly aside.

Lillian, looking into his face, saw his fresh look of disturbance, and from long experience again changed her tactics. Laying the cigarette case on the couch, she put one hand on his shoulder, the other on his left arm. Hundreds of times this caressing touch had quieted Chilcote.

"Dear old boy!" she said soothingly, her hand moving slowly down his arm.

In a flash of understanding the consequences of this position came to him. Action was imperative, at whatever risk. With an abrupt gesture he rose.

The movement was awkward. He got to his feet precipitately. Lillian drew back, surprised and startled, catching involuntarily at his left hand to steady her position.

Her fingers grasped it, then held his. He made no effort to release them. With a dogged acknowledgment, he admitted himself worsted.

How long she stood immovable, holding his hand, neither of them knew. The process of a woman's instinct is so subtle, so obscure, that it would be futile to apply it to the commonplace test of time. She kept her hold conscientiously, as though his fingers possessed some peculiar virtue. Then at last she spoke.

"Rings, Jack?" she said very slowly. And under the two short words a whole world of incredulity and surmise made itself felt.

Loder laughed.

At the sound she dropped his hand and rose from her knees. What her suspicions, what her instincts were she could not have clearly defined, but her action was unhesitating. Without a moment's uncertainty she turned to the fireplace, pressed the electric button and flooded the room with light.

There is no force so demoralizing as unexpected light. Loder took a step backward, his hand hanging unguarded by his side, and Lillian, stepping forward, caught it again before he could protest. Lifting it quickly, she looked scrutinizingly at the two rings.

All women jump to conclusions, and it is extraordinary how seldom they jump short. Seeing only what Lillian saw, knowing only what she knew, no man would have stated a definite opinion but the other sex takes a different view. As she stood gazing at the rings her thoughts and her conclusions sped through her mind like arrows—all aimed and all tending toward one point. She remembered the day when she and Chilcote had talked of doubles, her skepticism and his vehement defense of the idea, his sudden interest in the book "Other Men's Shoes," and his anathema against life and its tiresome round of duties. She remembered her own first convinced recognition of the eyes that had looked at her in the doorway of her sister's house, and, last of all, she remembered Chilcote's unaccountable avoidance of the same subject of likenesses when she had mentioned it yesterday driving through the park, and with it his unnecessarily curt repudiation of his former opinions. She reviewed each item, then she raised her head slowly and looked at Loder.

He was prepared for the glance and met it steadily. In the long moment that her eyes searched his face it was she and not he who changed color. She was the first to speak. "You were the man whose hands I saw in the tent," she said. She made the statement in her usual soft tones, but a slight tremor of excitement underran her voice. Poodles, Persian kittens, even crystal gazing balls, seemed very far away in face of this tangible, fabulous, present interest. "You are not Jack Chilcote," she said very slowly. "You are wearing his clothes and speaking in his voice, but you are not Jack Chilcote." Her tone quickened with a touch of excitement. "You needn't keep silent and look at me," she said, "I know quite well what I am saying, though I don't understand it, though I have to read proof"— She paused, momentarily disconcerted by her companion's silent and steady gaze, and in the pause a curious and unexpected thing occurred.

Loder laughed suddenly—a full, confident, reassured laugh. All the web that the past half hour had spun about him, all the intolerable sense of an impending crash, lifted suddenly. He saw his way clearly, and it was Lillian who had opened his eyes.

Still looking at her, he smiled—a smile of reliant determination, such as Chilcote had never worn in his life. And with a calm gesture he released his hand.

"The greatest charm of woman is her imagination," he said quietly. "Without it there would be no color in life; we would come into and drop out of it with the same uninteresting tone of drab reality." He paused and smiled again.

At his smile Lillian involuntarily drew back, the color deepening in her cheeks. "Why do you say that?" she asked.

He lifted his head. With each moment he felt more certain of himself. "Because that is my attitude," he said. "As a man I admire your imagination, but as a man I fail to follow your reasoning."

The words and the tone both stung her. "Do you realize the position?" she asked sharply. "Do you realize that, whatever your plans are, I can spoil them?"

Loder still met her eyes. "I realize nothing of the sort," he said.

"Then you admit that you are not Jack Chilcote?"

"I neither deny nor admit. My identity is obvious. I can get twenty men to swear to it at any moment that you like. The fact that I haven't worn rings till now will scarcely interest them."

"But you do admit—to me, that you are not Jack?"

"I deny nothing—and admit nothing. I still offer my congratulations."

"Upon what?"

"The same possession—your imagination."

Lillian stamped her foot. Then by a quick effort she conquered her temper. "Prove me to be wrong!" she said, with a fresh touch of excitement. "Take off your rings and let me see your hand."

With a deliberate gesture Loder put his hand behind his back. "I never gratify childish curiosity," he said, with another smile.

Again a flush of temper crossed her eyes. "Are you sure," she said, "that it's quite wise to talk like that?"

Loder laughed again. "Is that a threat?"

"Perhaps."

"Then it's an empty one."

"Why?"

Before replying he waited a moment, looking down at her.

"I conclude," he began quietly, "that your idea is to spread this wild, improbable story—to ask people to believe that John Chilcote, whom they see before them, is not John Chilcote, but somebody else. Now, you'll find that a harder task than you imagine. This is a skeptical world, and people are absurdly fond of their own eyesight. We are all journalists nowadays—we all want facts. The first thing you will be asked for is your proof. And what does your proof consist of? The circumstance that John Chilcote, who has always despised jewelry, has lately taken to wearing rings! Your own testimony, unattended by any witnesses, that with those rings off his finger bears a scar belonging to another man! No; on close examination I scarcely imagine that your case would hold." He stopped, fired by his own logic. The future might be Chilcote's, but the present was his, and this present, with its immeasurable possibilities, had been rescued from catastrophe. "No," he said again. "When you get your proof perhaps we'll have another talk, but till then"—

"Till then?" She looked up quickly, but almost at once her question died away.

The door had opened, and the servant who had admitted Loder stood in the opening.

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Every tinkle on the shingles
Has an echo in the heart,
And a thousand dreamy fancies
Into busy being start,
And a thousand recollections
Weave their air threads into woof
As I listen to the patter
Of the rain upon the roof.

Now in memory comes my mother,
As she used in years agone,
To regard the darling dreamers
Ere she left them till the dawn.
So I see her leaning o'er me
As I list to this refrain
Which is played upon the shingles
By the patter of the rain.

Then my little seraph sister,
With the wings and waving hair,
And her star eyed cherub brother—
A serene angelic pair—
Glide around my wakeful pillow
With their praise or mild reproof
As I listen to the murmur
Of the soft rain on the roof.

And another comes to thrill me
With her eyes' delicious blue,
And I mind not, musing on her,
That her heart was all untrue.
I remember but to love her
With a passion kin to pain,
And my heart's quick pulses vibrate
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O. S. BLAIR, Supt.

COMMISSIONERS ARE HARD AT WORK ARRANGING FOR THE PRIMARY.

In Precincts Where Parties Are Not Represented on Ticket Blank Ballots Have Been Provided.

PROBABLE SUPERVISORS SCARCE

In Many Townships There Is General Reluctance About Accepting the Position for Honor's Sake Alone—Primary Held Next Saturday Afternoon.

UNIONTOWN, Jan. 19—The County Commissioners are making final arrangements for the first primary to be held one week from today under the new Uniform Primary Law, passed at the last special session of the Legislature. A good many of the ballots have already been printed and this work will be completed early next week, when the Commissioners will begin to send them out to the various election precincts.

The ballots somewhat resemble those voted at the last general election, although there is a separate one for each party. This being the first time the primary is being held under the new laws, the Commissioners have provided blank ballots for those parties in districts where petitions were not filed. This will give members of such parties the privilege to vote for any person they please.

In many townships the office of Supervisor will become vacant. As this office no longer has a salary attached under certain provisions of the act there is some reluctance on the part of many citizens to be a candidate for the office. There is too much work they say, to be done for honor's sake alone. Then, too, there have been prosecutions against Supervisors who neglect their work, and this will have a tendency to make the selection of Supervisor a hard matter.

The primary will be conducted by the regular election officers and the polls will be open from two until eight o'clock next Saturday at the usual polling places.

"PIFF" WAS PLEASING.

Musical Comedy at Colonial Theatre Last Evening Made a Hit.

"Piff, Paff, Pouf," B. C. Whitney's excellent musical comedy, was given a rousing reception at the Colonial Theatre Friday evening. The house was crowded and proportionately enthusiastic. The favorite songs, "The Ghost That Never Walked," "Lutie," "Cordelia Malone" and "Dolly Dimple" were greeted with storms of applause. As usual, the pony ballet made a decided hit.

The company this year was up to the usual Whitney standard. Denman Maley, as "Peter Pouffe," played that part to perfection, and is a good successor to Eddie Foy. Henrietta Lee, of "Beauty Doctor" fame was better than ever as "Mrs. Montague," the "gratifying widow." The show will always get the glad hand in Connellsville. Bad weather last season made the greeting somewhat of a frost, but local theatregoers are wise now.

SURPRISE PARTY

Friday Evening at the Home of Miss Mayme Emerick.

A pleasant surprise party was tendered Miss Mayme G. Emerick at her home on South Pittsburg street Friday evening. The surprise gathering, which was in honor of Miss Emerick's birthday, was arranged by Mrs. C. L. Emerick, Miss Victoria Orndorff and A. M. Cimmins. During the day Miss Emerick was invited to Gibson to spend the evening at the home of Milton Orndorff. Just as she was to leave home, she was greeted by about 35 of her friends, who assembled to assist in celebrating the event and various games helped to make the evening a most enjoyable one.

About 11:30 luncheon was served by Mrs. Emerick. Miss Emerick received many handsome and useful presents. After wishing the honor guest many more happy birthdays the guests departed for their respective homes.

MINSTRELS TONIGHT.

Duncan Clark's Aggregation at the Casino Theatre.

Duncan Clark's famous woman minstrel troupe will appear at the Casino Theatre on North Pittsburg street this evening. The aggregation has been on the road for 25 years. The company this year is composed of talented women minstrels.

The company travel in their own car and arrived this morning over the Pennsylvania railroad. A good performance is expected this evening.

MASQUERADE AT RINK.

Fifty Couples Were on Skates at the Casino Last Night.

Over fifty couples were in attendance at a masquerade roller skating party given Friday evening at the Casino by the Twentieth Century Club.

The costumes were unique, many characters being represented. Music was furnished throughout the evening.

The Sunday Courier

Will contain all of the latest telegraph news of the world. Order it from your carrier.

NEAR-BY NOTES.

Items of Interest from Neighboring Towns Put Into Paragraphs.

A foreigner was found dead at Superior Sunday evening having died as the result of neglect. He had typhoid fever and the sudden loss of his mental equilibrium frightened all the inmates of the house away.

The entire family of the late Thomas H. Black of near Washington, Pa., is taking the Pasteur treatment. This is the result of nursing Mr. Black, who died from hydrophobia.

Manager Arl Christy of a Morgantown theatre has sued the "Arrival of Kitty" management for $127 damages, due to Kitty's failure to appear on the boards there. The show is now in Canada, but will be in that vicinity in February.

WABASH RUMORS.

Speculations Over Barlow's Removal to Baltimore Last Week.

The statement in the Baltimore Sun that Mr. J. Q. Barlow, Chief Engineer of the Western Maryland Railroad Company would move his headquarters from Cumberland to Baltimore has attracted much attention. Since his connection with the road Mr. Barlow has made his headquarters in Cumberland, the Baltimore end of the engineering situation of the property being looked after by J. W. Galbreath who has his office on North Charles street near Centre street.

On Mr. Galbreath has devolved most of the engineering work in connection with the double tracking of the road to Emory Grove in reaching the terminals at Port Covington. Mr. Barlow was in charge of the Cumberland extension. This has been the most expensive as well as the most important new work undertaken by the Western Maryland since the road passed into the hands of the Fuller syndicate and undoubtedly to the Gould or Wabash interests. It obviates the necessity of using the Cherry Run extension in reaching Cumberland, that city now being in direct connection with the Western Maryland's own line.

It was supposed that the construction work would be under the supervision of Mr. Barlow, and that he would maintain his headquarters at Cumberland in order to be near the scene of operation. The sudden calling of him to Baltimore has caused more than ordinary comment and conjecture.

A significant fact in that connection has developed. B. A. Worthington, Vice President and General Manager of the Wheeling & Lake Erie, made an inspection trip over the Western Maryland last week. The Wheeling & Lake Erie is the Wabash, or the Gould connection with Pittsburg and it is one of the most important of this chain of roads. Mr. Worthington has his headquarters in Pittsburg. The order for taking him over the Western Maryland came direct from the several officers of the company in New York. A special train was made up by General Manager Robertson, who made the trip with Mr. Worthington. Mr. Robertson says the trip was taken to enable Mr. Worthington to study Western Maryland conditions and to form his judgment as to the West when the links were finally jointed and how much it could handle eastwardly.

The inspection trip was thorough but some persons are now asking why immediately on its conclusion, Mr. Barlow removed from Cumberland to Baltimore. Did Mr. Worthington make a report to New York suggesting the change, or was anything said in the report he made to his superiors which prompted the change? They are questions which those interested in the Western Maryland outside of the management are asking. Does it mean an abandonment of the Pittsburg route and has Mr. Worthington intimated that it can wait?

Saw Piff, Paff, Pouf.

Miss Mary Harper, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Wilson, Mrs. W. C. Smith, Julia and Sadie Malone, Miss Bertha Faulk, Miss Marjorie Combs, Chris Wagoner of Dunbar, Miss Elizabeth Sterling of Uniontown, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Zimmers and Miss Webb of Scottdale, Miss Helen McLaughlin of Broad Ford saw "Piff, Paff, Pouf" at the Colonial Theatre Friday evening.

Will Attend Institute.

Mrs. C. E. Buttermore and Miss Vella Decker of town are the guests of Miss Bertha M. Pearson of Uniontown. They will attend the annual teachers institute which is being held today at Revere, Miss Parker being a teacher in South Union township.

More Suits Against Oil and Packers

Little Rock, Ark., Jan. 19—Suits for alleged violation of the anti trust laws of the state were filed here by the district attorney against Armour & Co., the Waters Pierce Oil Co., the Hammond Packing Co., Morris & Co. and the Cudahy Packing Co. for amounts aggregating $1,833,000 each.

Oil Boom in Lawrence County

New Castle, Jan. 19—Fully 15,000 acres of land are under lease in this county for oil operations and the greatest development known in this locality is predicted. Oil was first discovered in paying quantities near Volant upon the Drake farm, where 10 wells are now producing.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Live Local News From All Parts of the Town.

Mrs. William Lawlor of Latrobe returned home Friday after a pleasant visit with her brothers and sister James Malin and Mrs. Mary Linney of Leisenring No. 1 and Joseph Malin and family at Newcomer.

J. Lawrence Schick of Pittsburg is in Pittsburg today on business.

Miss Emma Je[illegible] of Fairview avenue is shopping in Pittsburg today.

Mrs. John Zimmerman of Fairview is in Pittsburg today.

Miss Ada Carroll, Miss Elizabeth Torton and Miss Mabel Golden were here from Dunbar Friday.

Prof. J. P. Wiley is in Pittsburg today.

Prof. Fred G. Masters went to Rockwood this morning where he will spend Sunday with his parents Dr. and Mrs. G. B. Masters.

Miss Maud [illegible] of Trotter returned home Friday from Pittsburg where she has been the guest of her sister Mrs. H. B. Brown for the past week.

Mrs. John Everett and daughter Mrs. David Trohe of Dunbar were among the out of town shoppers here Friday.

J. P. Trader returned home this morning from a business trip to Pittsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. James Shirbottom of Conneaut, O., have returned home after a several days visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Rist of Meadow alley.

Misses Lucy and Harriet Mlle of Scottdale returned home this morning after a visit with friends here.

Col. A. D. Boyd of [illegible] was a business caller in town this morning.

Josephine Rinehart, teacher of piano and harmony, [illegible] Marietta Flats third floor.

P. H. Pendleton [illegible] back at work in the insurance [illegible] after ten days spent at Mt. Cl[illegible].

Mrs. J. W. Zi[illegible] of Scottdale was in town Friday [illegible] shopping trip.

Miss Bella [illegible] of Dunbar was calling on friends [illegible].

Mrs. Scott [illegible] wife of Rev. P. [illegible] Dunbar were calling on friends in town Friday.

P. A. Cunningham is [illegible] from Somerset today on business.

Mrs. John Lich[illegible] of Scottdale was shopping in town Friday.

Miss Sadie Mi[illegible] returned home this morning after [illegible] visit with her sister Miss [illegible] Minder, a teacher in [illegible] High School.

P. J. McG[illegible] of Dunbar [illegible] in town this morning on business.

Miss Alice Cus[illegible] clerk for E. Dunn is [illegible] with a severe attack of the grip.

E. A. Humphries of Scottdale was in town Friday on business.

Miss Mayme H[illegible] of Dunbar was calling on friends in town Friday.

Mrs. J. P. Scott of Dunbar was shopping in town Friday.

Attorney P. S. Newman was transacting business in Pittsburg Friday.

Mrs. Charles Litinger of town has returned home from a visit with relatives at Meyersdale.

Mrs. John Gilligan of Latrobe returned home today after a several days visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sollson, of West Main street.

Mrs. Cree Horner, manager of the local office of the Postal Telegraph Company spent Friday in Greensburg.

Mrs. John Critchfield of Dunbar was in town Friday on a shopping trip.

Miss Crete Long, stenographer for the West Penn Railways Company was the guest of friends at Mt. Pleasant Thursday.

FALSE MIRRORS.

Many Varieties Are Made For Special Business Purposes.

"It is not enough to make true mirrors," the dealer said. "If that were all, ours would be indeed a simple business.

"Dressmakers and milliners require mirrors of all sorts. They need for example a mirror that makes one look taller and thinner. When they dress a fat short patron in one of their new hats or suits they lead her to this mirror and she is so surprised and pleased with the change for the better in her looks that straight off she buys.

For masseurs I make a mirror that like a retouched photograph hides blemishes, wrinkles, scars. The masseur takes the wrinkled face of some rich old woman, steams it, thumps it, pinches it and smacks it for an hour and then holds up to it the mirror that gives a blurred blemish hiding reflection. The woman thinks her wrinkles are gone and is happy till she gets home to her own true mirror.

"Altogether I make some twenty varieties of false mirrors. Salesmen and saleswomen in millinery and dressmaking establishments can double and quadruple their business if they are quick and deft in their selection of the mirror that flatters each patron best."
—Philadelphia Bulletin.

The Free Lance's Paradise.

The literary free lance is bred naturally in New York and thrives in its atmosphere because the market for his wares is stable and infinitely varied. The very life of metropolitan publishing lies in the search for new men and variety. Publishers spend great sums upon the winnowing machinery that thrashes over what comes to their editors' desks and no editor in the metropolis grudges the time necessary to talk with those who call in person and have ideas good enough to carry them past his assistants. Publicly the editorial tribe may lament the many hours spent yearly in this winnowing process. Yet every experienced editor in New York has his own story of the stranger uncouth, unpromising, unready of speech, who stole in late one afternoon and seemed to have almost nothing in him, yet who afterward became the prolific scribbler or the great D. Auber.
—J. H. Collins in Atlantic.

The View of Experience.

"What I want," said the constituent "is a nice easy position."

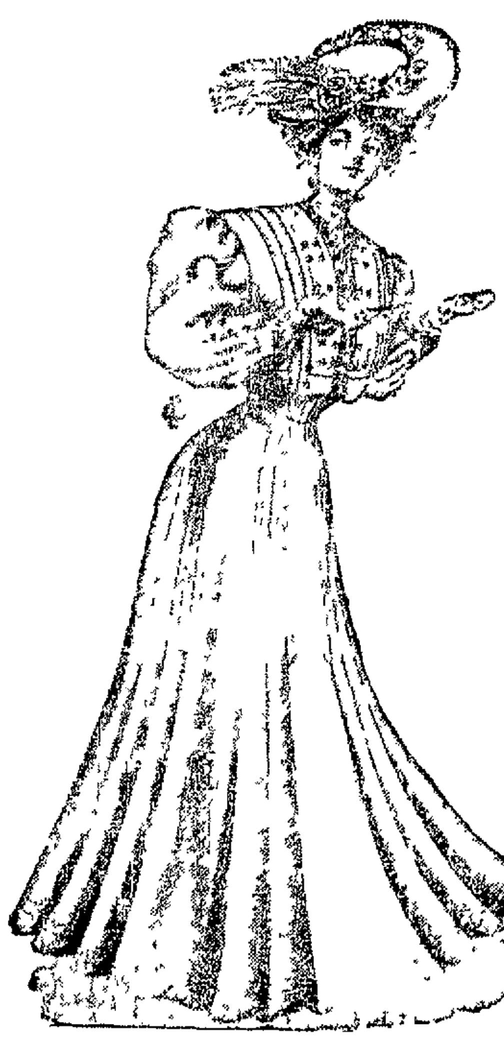
"My friend," answered Senator Sorghum, "give up that idea. When an easy position is discovered so many people are after it that a man has to fight ten hours a day to hold on to it."—Washington Star.

His Best Bread

Baker—I keep the best bread. Customer (who is complaining of the bread's inferior quality)—I don't doubt it. Baker—Then what have you to complain about? Customer—That instead of keeping the best bread you should sell the best and keep the bad for yourself.

Sale Begins Monday, January 21.

A Most Unusual Winter Causes This Most Unusual Action.



We've Divided Our Entire Remaining Stock of Tailored Suits Into Three Little Priced Groups. Not One Suit Reserved.

THIS MEANS that you are now in a position to secure an ultra-stylish tailored suit at positively the lowest price you've ever paid for a strictly fashionable garment. It means that now you can buy a $50 00 suit as low as $22 50, or that you can buy a $20 00 suit for as little as $7.50. We are forced to this action because of adverse weather conditions. Never in the three years we have conducted this establishment in Connellsville have we sacrificed stylish tailored suits to this point, but radical action becomes imperative, and it is good business to take this loss now. There is another point that makes these little prices still more emphatic.

Our Stocks Afford Unusually Broad Selection.

We can't help it. If the collection were smaller these prices would not go into force Monday, but as it is you'll find any fashionable suit you desire at the lowest price you've ever paid.

These Three Prices Will Govern the Sale of Every Tailored Suit in the Store.

All Suits that were $35 00 to $50.00, are now $22.50
All Suits that were $25.00 to $32.50, are now $16.75
All Suits that were $15.00 to $20.00, are now $ 7.50

At $22.50. This price governs the sale of every women's suit in the store that formerly sold at from $35 00 to $50.00, including suits of English broadcloth, velvet and cheviot suitings, made in Eton, Paquin and form-fitting jacket styles.
Sale begins Monday, January 21st

At $16.75. This price rules the selling of suits formerly priced from $25 to $32.50, including suits made of imported broadcloth, cheviots, worsteds and fancy mixed suiting, in pony, eton and bell coat styles
Sale begins Monday, January 21st.

At $7.50. This price is placed upon every suit in the store that formerly retailed from $15 to $20, including suits of fancy suitings and cheviots in black, navy, brown and checks, made in pony and semi fitting styles.
Sale begins Monday, January 21st.

Thirty-Two Black Broadcloth Coats at Lessened Prices.

Thirty-two long black coats of imported broadcloth, most of them satin lined, in collar and collarless models, fitting and semi-fitting styles. Some of them entirely plain, others handsomely trimmed with silk braid and velvet.

Every coat in this collection is new and positively correct in style. Some of them not in stock more than four weeks.

Every woman who is familiar with the character of this collection will realize at once the full worth of these price reductions.

All $15 Long Black Coats are now $10.00
All $18 Long Black Coats are now $12.00
All $20 Long Black Coats are now $13.35
All $25 Long Black Coats are now $16.65
All $35 Long Black Coats are now $23 35

Here is a Collection of Stylish Coats at Exactly HALF PRICE.

These are the long loose fitting models so popular this season, made from fancy Scotch suiting, handsomely trimmed, some with velvet, others with braids, fancy buttons, etc. There are a few also in plain brown, blue and grey. Hardly two coats alike among this entire lot.

This is a decidedly opportune offering as this style of coat is always in vogue and will render good service next season with nearly a whole season's wear to be gained this winter.

We show them in 45 and 50 inch lengths and this is the price range.

$15 00 COATS ARE NOW	$7 50
$18 00 COATS ARE NOW	$9 00
$20 00 COATS ARE NOW	$10 00
$22 50 COATS ARE NOW	$11 25
$25 00 COATS ARE NOW	$12 50

Wright-Metzler Company, Connellsville. Uniontown.

The Sunday Courier

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